

# THE BOURBON NEWS.

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NUMBER 1

## QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE

### Farmers Bank of Millersburg, Ky.,

at the close of business on the 31st day of Dec., 1904.

| RESOURCES:  | LIABILITIES:  |
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| Loans and discounts.....\$ 90,288.00  | Capital stock paid in, in cash.....\$ 15,000.00                         |
| Overdrafts, secured.....00  | Surplus fund.....6,000.00   |
| Overdrafts, unsecured.....211.85  | Undivided profits.....00  |
| Due from National Banks.....\$ 8,450.61   | Due depositors as follows, viz:   |
| Due from State Banks and Banks.....11,509.25  | Deposits subject to check, on which interest is not paid.....105,088.78 |
| Due from Trust Companies.....00   | Due depositors subject to check, on which interest is paid.....00       |
| Banking house and lot.....00  | Demand certificates of deposits on which interest is paid.....00        |
| Other real estate.....00  | Time certificates of deposit, on which interest is paid.....00          |
| Mortgages.....14,300.00   | Savings deposits, on which interest is paid.....00                      |
| U. S. Bonds.....00  | Certified checks.....00   |
| Other stocks and bonds.....00   | Due National Banks.....00   |
| Specie.....7,597.63   | Due State Banks and Banks.....00  |
| Exchange for clearings.....00   | Due Trust Companies.....00  |
| Other items carried as cash.....00  | Cashier's checks outstanding.....00                                     |
| Furniture and fixtures.....00   | Bills rediscounted.....6,009.00   |
| Fund to pay taxes.....00  | Unpaid dividends.....00   |
| Current expenses last quarter.....00  | Taxes due and unpaid.....00   |
| Give description, location, value and how long owned, all real estate, except banking house and lot, if any owned longer than five years..... | Capital stock not paid.....00   |
|   | Tax reserve.....359.18  |
| \$132,447.94  | \$132,447.94  |

## SUPPLEMENTARY.

Highest amount of indebtedness of any stockholder, person, company or firm (including in the liability of the company or firm the liability of the individual members thereof) directly or indirectly, if such indebtedness exceed 20 per cent. of capital stock actually paid in, and actual amount of surplus in bank? None.

How is indebtedness stated in above item 1 secured? Highest amount of indebtedness of any director or officer, if amount of such indebtedness exceeds 10 per cent. of paid up capital stock of bank? None.

How is same secured? Does amount of indebtedness of any person, company, or firm, including in the liability of the company or firm, the liability of the individual members thereof, exceed 30 per cent. of paid-up capital and actual surplus? No.

If so, state amount of indebtedness? Amount of last dividend? 900.00

Were all the expenses, losses, interest and taxes deducted therefrom before declaring dividends, and was not less than 10 per cent. of net profits of the bank for the period covered by the dividend carried to the surplus fund before said dividend was declared? Yes.

STATE OF KENTUCKY, ss:

## COUNTY OF BOURBON,

Sanford Allen, Cashier of Farmers' Bank of Millersburg, Ky., a bank located and doing business on Main street in the City of Millersburg, in said county, being duly sworn, says the foregoing report is in all respects a true statement of the condition of said bank at the close of business on the 31st day of Dec., 1904, to the best of his knowledge and belief; and further says that the business of said bank has been transacted at the location named and not elsewhere; and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Secretary of State, designating the 31st day of Dec., 1904, as the day on which said report shall be made.

SANFORD ALLEN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by Sanford Allen, Cashier, the 31st day of Dec., 1904.

R. B. BOULDER, Millersburg, Ky.

Notary Public, Bourbon Co., Ky. My commission expires Jan. 11th, 1906.

J. G. Allen, S. C. Carpenter, G. S. Allen, R. Tarr, Directors.

## Attention.

When wishing first-class groceries don't forget that we carry everything the market affords. For cash you can buy as cheap of us as you can any place. Phone 678.

J. H. BATTERTON,

27-28 at Wm. Sauer's Old Stand.

## That Throbbing Headache.

Would quickly leave you if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for sick and nervous headaches. They make pure blood and build up your health. Only 25c, money back if not cured. Sold by Oberdorfer, the druggist. Ijan

## Apples! Apples!

I have just received a new lot of fancy apples that can be bought at 25 cents per peck.

L. SALOSHIN.

BEFORE you slip, see T. Porter Smith.

## The Week of Prayer.

All the Paris churches will unite in the observance of the Week of Prayer. The following will be the programme for the week:

Monday night—First Presbyterian Church; Rev. W. A. Simmons leader.

Tuesday night—Christian Church; Rev. Dr. Malone leader.

Wednesday night—Second Presbyterian Church; Eld. Carey Morgan leader.

Thursday night—Baptist Church; Rev. J. L. Clark leader.

Friday night—Methodist church; Rev. Dr. E. H. Rutherford leader.

These meetings ought to be largely attended, and all the singers of all the churches are requested to attend and assist in making these meetings a success.

The services will begin each evening at 7 o'clock.

HOUSE WANTED.—A house containing 8 to 12 rooms, centrally located, suitable for boarding house. Apply to SMITH CLARKE.

## Woodford gets The Judicial Plum.

Judge Robert L. Stout, of Woodford county, whom Governor Beckham has selected as the successor of Judge James E. Cantrill on the bench of this, the Fourteenth Judicial District, was handed his commission by the Governor Friday morning. He was sworn in yesterday at the beginning of the January term of the Franklin Circuit Court. He has already announced his candidacy for the place next year before the Democrats of the district.

Judge Stout, who is but thirty-seven years of age, has been in the public life of his county and section for many years. He has served as County Attorney, Master Commissioner and County Judge of Woodford county. He is the Democratic nominee for re-election to the last named office. He is a graduate of the University of Virginia and a lawyer of recognized ability.

## BIRTHS.

—Born to the wife of M. J. Lavin, a daughter.

## STOCK AND CROP.

—Geo. Clayton sold two fancy bred Poland-China hogs, yesterday, for \$25.00 each.

—John T. Hughes, of Fayette, has sold in the last few days \$4,000 worth of saddle horses.

—Dan Peed bought the following crops of tobacco Saturday: Mr. Calvert, on Steele pike, 25,000 lbs., at 11½ cents; Will Fisher, 10,000 lbs., 8 cents; Mrs. M. J. Glenn, small crop, 6 cents.

—W. E. Stillwell sold 2 Shorthorn bulls to Frank G. Hogan, of Louisville, for a fancy price. He also sold a fine Poland-China hog to W. T. Moore, of Lexington, for \$10. Mr. Stillwell has leased 511 acres of the Ford farm about 3 miles from Paris, on the Clintonville pike and will take possession March 1st.

## DEATHS.

—Millard Filmore Marsh, editor of the Maysville Bulletin, aged 49 years, died at his home in Maysville, Friday morning, after an illness of about four months. He is survived by a wife and five children of tender age. He was generous to a fault and greatly beloved by his colleagues. He was a member of the Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias, I. O. R. M. and A. O. U. W. lodges.

—Joseph W. Bond, of Stamping Ground, Scott county, a well-known tobacco dealer and Vice-President of Stamping Ground Bank, died of locomotor ataxia, Saturday.

## Port Arthur Surrenders.

Port Arthur surrenders at last under terms "honorable to the garrison." Gen. Stoessel capitulates on New Year's day after one of the pluckiest fights in the history of warfare. He declared to the Japanese Commander, Nogi, that further resistance would mean more slaughter. The city described as a living hell.

Everybody invited to attend Harry Simon's Red Tag Sale, beginning Monday, Jan. 14th, and continuing until Saturday, Jan. 28th.

## Forging To The Front.

In last issue we had notice of young Tadlock, of the Clintonville precinct, going to the front in journalism, and now we want to mention another Clintonville boy who is forging to the front. Mr. Harry Weldon Renick, the popular young druggist of South Broadway, Lexington, who to-day enters upon his second term as Councilman for his adopted city. He was born in Clintonville, this county, on Dec. 31st, 1874, and when 12 years of age moved with his father to Lexington. He is a graduate of Kentucky University and the school of Pharmacy in Louisville. After clerking for a number of years he has by his own true merit succeeded, and is now of the firm of Renick & Thompson, who have two stores in Lexington. His first appearance in public life was when he was elected to the Lexington City Council two years ago, and his brilliancy won for him a second term.

## Woodford's New County Judge.

Gov. Beckham's proffer to W. O. Davis of the County Judgeship of Woodford county for the unexpired term of Judge R. L. Stout, who has been elevated to the Circuit Court bench, was declined by Mr. Davis Saturday. The Governor then appointed James T. Wilhoit, of Versailles, as Judge Stout's successor. Judge Wilhoit was formerly Sheriff of Woodford county, making one of the finest officers the county ever had and he is well qualified to fill the office to which he has been appointed.

## Big Increase In Business.

The new directory for the Home Telephone Company will be in the hands of the printer in a few days. The delay has been caused by the big increase in business, so many phones being installed in the city and county and the manager desiring to get them all in the new directory. Hand in your name at once, for you will never regret adding this great convenience and comfort to your home or business house. The Home Telephone Company is composed of Paris people and the hustling manager, Mr. Clarence L. Humbert, is an expert telephone man, and guarantees the very best service that can be had over an up-to-date telephone plant. Don't fail to call up the manager if your service is not good in every way.

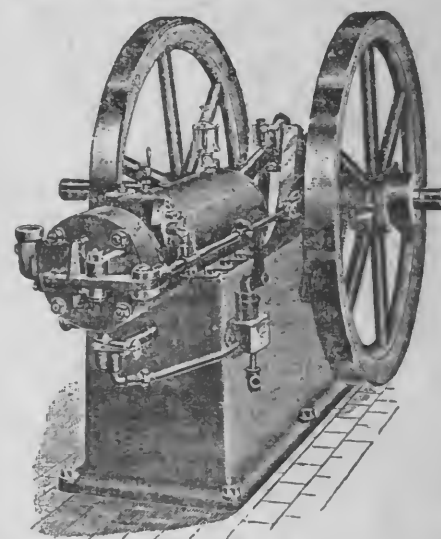
## Attend Simon's Red Tag Sale.

## Bourbon Breaks All Records.

We notice in the weekly report of the Central House of the Louisville Tobacco Warehouse Co., that old Bourbon breaks all records, viz:

"We are glad to report you that the Central House sold on December 21st an entire crop of tobacco, consisting of twelve hogheads Bourbon county, grown by Mr. John Toohey, near Paris, Ky., at the following prices: \$17.75, \$17.75, \$16.25, \$16.00, \$16.00, \$15.75, \$14.50, \$15.25, \$14.25, \$14.00 and \$13.75. Total average on this crop of tobacco \$15.59, which breaks all market records on both the highest priced hogheads and the average on a crop that has been made on any market for new Burley."

## GASOLINE ENGINES.



## Stationary, Portable and Pumping.

Unequaled for Simplicity and Efficiency.

HORSE POWERS, FEED CUTTERS, STUDEBAKER and AVERY WAGONS

FOR SALE BY

J. S. Wilson & Bro.,

Bank Row, North Side Court House  
Paris, Kentucky.

## HEMP WANTED!

Highest market price paid for Hemp.

Kentucky Hemp Brakes for Sale.  
(Best on earth.)

Kentucky River Bottom Hemp Seed.

Home-grown Clover Seed, Timothy Seed. Haas Hog Remedy.

Chas. S. Brent & Bro.,  
PARIS, KENTUCKY.

# OUR JANUARY SALE BEGINS MONDAY, JANUARY 9<sup>TH</sup>

It will be better and bigger than ever. We are now opening a new line of White Goods, and every line in the store will have Price Reductions---in some departments as much as 50 per cent. In justice to yourself, you should wait for this Great Sale. Our prices are always low, and you know what additional advantage this Annual Sale will give you.

## MITCHELL, CASSELL & BAKER,

Remember the Date.

Lexington, Ky.

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Established 1881—23 Year of Continuous Publication.

Display advertisements, \$1.00 per inch for first time; 50 cents per inch each subsequent insertion.

Reading notices, 10 cents per line each issue; reading notices in black type, 20 cents per line each issue.

Cards of thanks, calls on candidates, and similar matter, 10 cents per line.

Special rates for big advertisements.

**NEW** ROADWAY TRACK EQUIPMENT.

**WORLD'S FAIR** ST. LOUIS 1904

**B&O S-W** ROUTE

**Fast Scheduled Trains TO ST. LOUIS**

**3 OF THEM AND 3 ALL DAILY.**

**No Additional Charge FOR SUPERB SERVICE AND QUICK TIME.**

ELEGANT COACHES, Pullman Drawing Room Sleeping Cars, Parlor, Observation, Dining Cars.

For Rates, Time of Trains or any information, call on nearest ticket agent or address, **O. P. MCCARTY,** General Passenger Agent, CINCINNATI, O.

## WANTED.

Anyone wishing to have their wheat sown on the shares by a reliable party will do well to communicate with the News for the name of party who is prepared to do same.

## DEWHURST,

136 W. MAIN ST., Lexington, - - Kentucky.

FOOT BALL GOODS, FISHING TACKLE, GRAPHOPHONES, PARLOR GAMES.

And everything in the Athletic Line Bicycles, Sundries, Repairs.

## Frankfort &amp; Cincinnati Railway.

"THE MIDLAND ROUTE," LOCAL TIME CARD IN EFFECT JANUARY 1, 1904.

| P.M.   | A.M.   | DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.    | A.M.  | P.M.  |
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| 8:00   | 8:50   | Frankfort to Paris      | 11:25 | 7:25  |
| 9:00   | 9:50   | Paris to Frankfort      | 11:35 | 7:35  |
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## DIPLOMATIC CORPS.

### The President is Considering Important Appointment.

Several Changes Will Be Made—Jos. Choate, Ambassador to the Court of St. James, Will Be Succeeded by Whitelaw Reid.

Washington, Dec. 31.—President Roosevelt is devoting some time at present to consideration of important appointments in the diplomatic and consular service of the government, which are to be made formally by him at the beginning of the new administration next March.

It is known that he has decided upon several changes. Joseph H. Choate, ambassador to the court of St. James, has indicated that he does not desire longer to continue as the representative of this government in Great Britain and he expects, when relieved, to return to America, to look after his personal interests here. He will be succeeded by Whitelaw Reid, proprietor of the New York Tribune, who was one time minister to France.

Gen. Horace Porter, American ambassador to France, will retire from that post soon after the 4th of March. The president has decided on Gen. Porter's successor, but at this time no announcement of his decision can be made.

Charlemagne Tower, American ambassador to Germany, and Robert S. McCormick, American ambassador to Russia, will continue at their respective posts.

Bellamy Storer, ambassador to Austria-Hungary, will continue as the American representative to the court of



WHITELAW REID.  
He is slated to succeed Ambassador Choate as our representative at London.

Vienno unless the president should decide to transfer him to another post in the diplomatic service.

As to the ambassadorship to Italy, nothing of a definite nature can be said now. It has been rumored that Ambassador George V. L. Meyer is to succeed Gen. Porter at Paris, but it can be said that such a change is not certain. The probabilities are that Ambassador Meyer will remain at Rome.

Gen. Powell Clayton having decided to relinquish his post as ambassador to Mexico at the end of the present administration, he will be succeeded by Edwin H. Conger, now United States minister to China. It is not expected that Mr. Conger will continue long at the Mexican capital, as he is understood to intend to return to his home state of Iowa to be a candidate for governor in succession to Gov. Cummins.

When he leaves the City of Mexico, he will be succeeded by David E. Thompson, of Nebraska, who at present is American minister to Brazil. Mr. Thompson accepted the appointment to Brazil with the understanding that he would be appointed to a higher place in the diplomatic service as soon as opportunity offered. Minister Conger will be succeeded at the court of Peking by William W. Rockhill, at present director of the bureau of American republics, who is recognized as an authority on all subjects pertaining to China and the Chinese.

In succession to Frank H. Mason, consul general to Berlin, John Lewis Griffiths, of Indianapolis, will be named. It is expected that some changes will be made in the corps of American ministers but at this time they are not obtainable for publication.

#### Receipts and Expenditures.

Washington, Dec. 31.—The treasury receipts for the calendar year 1904 were \$540,000,000 and the expenditures (including the Panama canal payment), \$562,000,000, a deficit for the year of \$22,000,000.

#### Wireless Telegraph Station.

Havana, Dec. 31.—The United States navy department is creating a wireless telegraph station at Guantanamo, Cuba, to operate in connection with the stations at Key West, Fla., Colon and San Juan, P. R.

Bryan to Make the Annual Address.  
Galea, Ill., Dec. 31.—William J. Bryan has accepted an invitation from the Grant Birthday association to make the annual address at the observance of Gen. U. S. Grant's birthday here on April 27 next.

Theodore Thomas Seriously Ill.  
Chicago, Dec. 31.—Theodore Thomas, the famous musical director, is seriously ill with pneumonia and his physicians admitted Friday night that they were becoming alarmed. Dr. C. F. Elyk, who is in attendance, says he has a chance for recovery.

Will Succeed Counsel General Gowdy.  
Washington, Dec. 31.—Frank H. Mason, now consul general to Berlin, will succeed John K. Gowdy as consul general to Paris, and John Lewis Griffiths, of Indianapolis, Ind., will succeed Mr. Mason at Berlin.

## BISHOP E. TALBOT.

Charges Have Been Preferred Against Him by Rev. I. N. W. Irvine.

Bethlehem, Pa., Dec. 31.—Rev. Ethelbert Talbot, the Episcopal bishop of Central Pennsylvania, against whom Rev. Ingram N. W. Irvine, of Philadelphia, is about to make a presentation, is absent from the city. Friends say he is on a regular tour of visitations among the parishes of his diocese.

He has declined to answer any of the serious charges to be lodged against him or to enter into the controversy now going on.

"Wait until everything comes out," he is quoted as saying. "I am more anxious than any one else to have this investigation and settle for all time these false rumors and charges."

New York, Dec. 31.—Charges of a serious nature are to be made at the Bishop Talbot hearing against the person who is responsible for the delivery to Dr. Irvine of a copy of a confidential letter addressed by the bishop to Rev. Dr. Samuel Upjohn, of Philadelphia. It is reported that the original of the document is in the possession of the bishop himself and was not destroyed. The copy on which the charges of libel and falsehood against Rev. Dr. Talbot were based was obtained from a duplicate sent to Rev. Dr. John Fulton, who disclaims all responsibility for the act. Dr. Fulton knows who is responsible for the delivery of a copy to Dr. Irvine, it is reported, and he will bring an accusation against him.

Philadelphia, Dec. 31.—Bishop Talbot held a conference Friday at Sunbury, Pa., with Col. C. M. Clement, who is an attorney and who has been close to the bishop all through the trouble he has had with Dr. Irvine, who was unfrocked by the bishop some time ago. Col. Clement was secretary of the Central Pennsylvania diocese until it was recently divided. He is now secretary of the Harrisburg diocese which is the name of the jurisdiction carved out of the Central Pennsylvania diocese. After the conference Bishop Talbot would not talk. All that Col. Clement would say was: "At present I have nothing to say, but I may be able to give out a statement a little later."

## THE STOCK WAR.

It is Believed That Thomas W. Lawson Has Called It Off.

Boston, Dec. 31.—Is Thomas W. Lawson about to call off his war against the Standard Oil and "the system"? On top of such a rumor Lawson and several important men from out of town were in conference from 1 o'clock until early in the evening, when they left the city together, Lawson leaving word that he would return to Boston Friday.

State street is at a loss to understand the meaning of the conference, if it does not have an important bearing upon either Standard Oil or Amalgamated Copper affairs.

The rumor that Lawson has engaged passage for himself and family to Europe, where he will recuperate from the strain of smashing the market and banging Standard Oil and Amalgamated, is denied by Lawson's closest business associates, who say they do not know of any plans Lawson may have for leaving the country.

## REPAIR BARN BURNED.

Two Firemen Were Killed and Three Others Hurt By a Falling Wall.

Chicago, Dec. 31.—Fire Friday night completely destroyed the repair barns of the Chicago Union Traction Co., at 40th and Western avenue, entailing a loss of \$150,000. Two firemen were killed, two others and one spectator were injured by the falling of a portion of the wall. The dead are: Capt. Pul Die, Lieut. John Pyne.

Injured: Charles Anderson, fireman, cut on face and hands and legs bruised; Capt. John Miller, fireman, crushed about body and cuts on head; August Kraut, severely hurt about the shoulders.

## Employees Not Dissatisfied.

Washington, Dec. 31.—Replying to newspaper statements that the Panama canal employees are dissatisfied with conditions on the isthmus, Adm. Walker said that he knew nothing of any such complaints except what he had read in the papers.

## Business Failures During the Week.

New York, Dec. 31.—Business failures in the United States for the week ending December 29 number 218, as against 249 last week, 209 in the like week in 1903, 202 in 1902. In Canada failures for the week numbered 20, as against 37 last week.

## Returned the Medal.

Chicago, Dec. 31.—John C. Johnson, a young artist of this city, who received from the St. Louis exposition a medal for a picture exhibited by him has returned it to the exposition authorities, saying he did not deserve it.

## Japanese Suffered Heavy Losses.

London, Dec. 31.—A dispatch from Chefoo says: A messenger from Port Arthur states that the Japanese have mounted eight guns commanding positions north of the Etze forts, but they suffered heavy losses by the Russian fire.

More Suits Against Iroquois Theater.  
Chicago, Dec. 31.—Nineteen more \$10,000 damage suits for deaths in the fire of a year ago were filed Friday against the Iroquois Theater Co. and the customary defendants. The total number of suits approximate 110.

## ALLEGED FRAUDS.

### Colorado Supreme Court Orders Investigation of Election.

To Open Denver Ballot Boxes—Registration Lists, Campaign Expenditures and All Election Matters to Be Investigated.

Denver, Dec. 31.—Stretching its hand so as to cast a shadow over every man and woman in any way implicated in election frauds of the city and county of Denver on or before after November 8, the supreme court Friday ordered an investigation so sweeping in its scope that every phase of the election may be scrutinized and everything that bears in any way upon the election may be made known by judicial inquiry.

Alva Adams, democratic candidate for governor, who appeared from the returns to have been elected, but who has declared that he does not want the office tainted with fraud, asked the court to open every Denver ballot box, but the order of the court goes beyond the mere examination of the ballots and provides for an investigation of the registration lists, the campaign expenditures and in brief all election matters.

Attorney Samuel W. Bedford, for Adams, and Attorney Henry J. Hoxey, for the republicans, asked the court to make its order of such breadth that the court need not stop at anything in the investigation. The court said that was what it meant to do and instructed the lawyers to agree upon the wording of the order and present it to the court for approval next Tuesday morning.

As there are 204 ballot boxes it is evident that several months will be consumed in the examination of their contents by the two handwriting experts to be appointed for this work.

It is expected that the supreme court will be asked to make an order placing special watchers at the courthouse to guard the registration books until such time as the investigation is made.

"There are probably 20,000 fraudulent registrations on the books of the city and county of Denver," said Attorney James H. Brown, the principal adviser of the republican city central committee.

F. A. Williams, chairman of the republican committee, has published the following statement over his signature:

"Our investigation into the conduct of the recent election in Denver has developed the fact that approximately 20,000 fraudulent votes were cast or counted for Alva Adams in this city. There is now no reasonable doubt that Gov. Peabody and the entire republican state ticket was fairly elected on November 8, by the votes of a large majority of the legal voters of this state."

What effect, if any, the court's action Friday will have upon the course of the legislature in respect to canvassing the vote for governor and determining whether Peabody or Adams is entitled to the seat has not become apparent. Chief Justice Gabbert particularly stated the court's investigation will not be permitted in any way to interfere with any investigation that may be set on foot by the general assembly.

Republicans as well as democrats admit that the opening of all the Denver boxes complicates the political situation in Colorado, but believes that it means there will be no "rough house" as predicted.

It was announced late Friday that the republican plan to unseat democratic senators had been modified and that possibly only Senators Born and Healey, who were seated by the democratic majority on contests two years ago, would be turned out.

It also was reported that on the evidence of influential republicans the proposition to memorialize the United States senate to unseat Senator Teller would be abandoned.

## JUDGE JOHN J. JACKSON.

Oldest Judge in the Federal Judiciary Presented to the President.

Washington, Dec. 31.—Senator Ellens, of West Virginia, Friday presented to the president John J. Jackson, the oldest judge in the federal judiciary. Judge Jackson presides over the United States district court for the northern district of West Virginia. He is 80 years old and was appointed district judge by President Lincoln 44 years ago. He was a member of the old Virginia legislature in war times and delivered a notable speech in opposition to secession.

## Taylor to Be a Federal Judge.

Washington, Dec. 31.—President Roosevelt, after a brief but thorough investigation of the timber available, has determined to bestow the judicial honors enjoyed by United States District Judge Wing on ex-Congressman R. W. Taylor, of McKinley's district, the 18th.

## Establishment of a Whipping Post.

Washington, Dec. 31.—The local grand jury, in making its final report for the present term of the supreme court for the District of Columbia, recommended the establishment of the whipping post in the District for wife beaters.

## King Alfonso to Wed.

Madrid, Dec. 31.—The betrothal of King Alfonso to Princess Victoria, of England, is prominently announced in the newspaper Epoca, regularly used by the government in making semi-official announcements.

## MONUMENT TO CATHERINE.

Its Erection at Vilna, Poland, Was Not Pleasing to the Polish People.

Warsaw, Poland.—The statue to the famous Russian empress, Catherine II., was unveiled in the presence of Grand Duke Michael Alexandrovitch, brother of the czar, and Prince Sviatopolk Mirski, the new minister of the interior. The ceremony was the last act in which the prince figured in an official capacity at Vilna before he left for St. Petersburg to take up his new office.

The erection of the statue was naturally not received at Vilna, a strong



STATUE OF CATHERINE.  
(Erected at Vilna to Commemorate the Annexation of Poland to Russia.)

Polish center, without some protest, to which the prince replied: "I understand the difficulty because the monument recalls to your minds the partition of Poland. But I beg you this time not to be led by your feelings but by your reason."

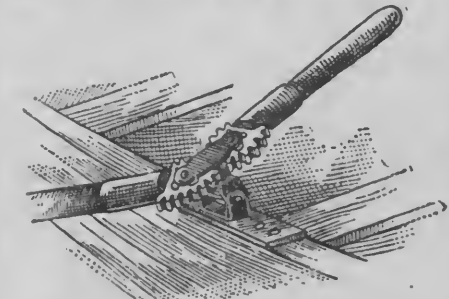
"This monument, erected not at Warsaw but at Vilna, is from the point of view of the Russian empire evidence of the pacification of the country, and a proof of that equality for which you have so long striven." The statue is the work of a Jewish sculptor, Antokolsky, a native of Vilna, and of very poor parentage.

## THE ARTICULATED OAR.

An Ingenious Invention That Is Being Widely Talked About in France.

Nantes, France.—An ingenious invention, which may or may not be already known in the United States, is being talked about just now in the French journals. It is an articulated oar for rowboats, which enables the rower to row his boat while facing in the direction in which he is moving instead of turning his back, as the old system requires. The inventor is M. Doyen, of 66 Rue de Namur, Brussels, Belgium.

It is claimed for this invention that while permitting the rower to face in the direction in which he desires to propel the boat, it does not in any other manner affect the old system of rowing or weaken the effect of the stroke. Consequently, no training or practice is required to enable any oarsman to use



MECHANISM OF THE OAR.  
(Showing How It Is Attached to the Boat and How It Operates.)

the new oar. It is formed of two arms, which are joined at the oarlock by articulating toothed sectors, which are firmly attached to the boat. This mechanism produces an inversion in the movement of the two arms of the oar. The cleats which join the two arms are so adjusted that the oarsman gives to the articulated oar the same movements of raising or lowering and of propulsion as with ordinary oars. The accompanying illustration gives an idea of the invention.

## BENJ. H. RIDGELY.

### New Use for the Potato.

The use of potato alcohol to furnish light, heat and motive power has been developed very rapidly, and to a very high degree in Germany. Germany produces about 55,000,000 tons of potatoes a year, and uses for human food, stock food and starch only about 35,000,000 tons. The remainder is converted into alcohol, and used as a power generator for both land and water motors, and for cooking, heating and lighting. The alcohol vapor is burnt like gas in chandeliers and street lamps, and gives a very bright light. In districts distant from mines it is cheaper than coal. It is claimed that a ton of potatoes will generate as much candle-power or horse-power as a ton and a half of anthracite coal.

### Substitute for Nickel.

A new substitute for nickel, "Patrick metal," is being placed upon the English market. The feature of this metal is that it is silver-white right through, and retains its bright appearance permanently. The luster does not tarnish with use—in fact, it becomes brighter. It retains a high degree of polish, and will not rust even under the most unfavorable conditions, nor oxidize easily. It is malleable when cold, and can be easily soldered or brazed.—Scientific American.

### To Install Electricity.

The Grand Trunk Railway company will substitute electricity for steam in the Sarnia tunnel, and it will install a plant for that purpose to cost \$500,000. The third rail system will be used.

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- 6.50 PAIR**—15 pairs Assorted Patterns, fine heavy Irish Point Curtains. Value \$9 pair.
- 8.95 PAIR**—6 pairs very heavy, extra wide Irish Point Curtains. Value \$11.50 pair.
- 14.95 PAIR**—2 pair special size Irish Point Curtains. Value \$25 pair.

On all other Curtains, such as Ruffled Net, Arabians, Antiques, Renaissance and Motif Curtains, one-fourth off regular price. On all Tapestry Portiers, Table Covers, Velours and Velvet Table Covers, one-fourth off regular price.

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We are authorized to announce Col. H. P. Thomson as a candidate for State Senator from the 28th district composed of the counties of Bourbon, Clark and Montgomery, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce Chas. Swift as a candidate for State Senator from the 28th district composed of Bourbon, Clark and Montgomery county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

### Bourbon Turned Down By Unscrupulous Politicians.

Bourbon county, as usual, comes out the little end of the horn in the fight for the Circuit Judgeship before the big three—Governor Beckham, Auditor Hager and Adjutant General Haley. Bourbon county put forward two as fine gentlemen and as fine lawyers as could be found in the district, R. C. Talbot and Emmett M. Dickson. We had the right to expect one or the other of these two gentlemen to see the appointment. The Governor admitted that Bourbon was entitled to the honor and that the qualifications of its candidates could not be improved on. Bourbon has done the bidding of this Governor in politics for a number of years. Yet, when the time comes for him to return some of the favors extended to him in the past what does he do? Just deliberately turn to a county that had been fighting his interests and selects from a bunch of enemies a man for this place. It simply shows that Governor Beckham has not a spark of gratitude in his make-up, and when you find a man with no gratitude in his composition you find one that will not do to trust. It is the way of cold-blooded politicians of his stripe. He slaps us in the face in return for the kindnesses shown him by our people.

Then there are his two keepers and heelers, Auditor Hager, the man who wants to be our next Governor, and the sweet-scented Adjutant General Percy Haley. You have heard of three-of-a-kind, well here you have them good and strong—Beckham on the throne and Hager and Haley behind the throne.

We are informed that the position had been promised to Mr. Dickson's friends unequivocally by these gentlemen in a political deal months ago, and we are sure that Mr. Talbot's friends had assurances that he would be appointed. But another little deal was made in Lexington the other day that side-tracked the former one and Woodford county secured the plum. Combs and his followers celebrated at Lexington over knocking Bourbon out. Maybe our time will come to celebrate one of these days.

Such unscrupulous politicians as Beckham, Hager and Haley should be shelved by the good people of Kentucky for the good of the party. Beckham wants to be U. S. Senator, Hager wants to be our next Governor, and God only knows what Percy Haley wants, at present he seems to be perfectly satisfied with eating lunch and six o'clock dinner with Beckham every day. The Governor can't lose Percy. The people of Kentucky should watch these three tricksters, for every move they make is for self interest, and see that they do not land the juicy plums they are reaching for. They would enter into any kind of a deal to feather their own nests but you can not count on them keeping any kind of a trade. To h—l with such politicians and such men.

### The Vote In Missouri.

President Roosevelt's vote in Missouri was only about 7,300 greater than the Republican vote four years ago (the increase being less than the normal increase in the Republican population) while the Democratic vote was nearly 55,000 less than it was in 1900. The gain made by the populists and by the socialists did not equal the falling off in the Democratic vote. Many Democrats stayed at home; they ought not to have done so, but they will be out two years from now and four years from now, and then the Republicans will have to take a back seat again. In the meantime Governor Folk will be at Jefferson City to prevent the Republicans from carrying off the State.

### Merely a Suggestion.

It does not do a bit of good to the creditors of Mrs. Chadwick to imprison her. We have an idea how they all could get their money back. We suggest that they take her around the country and show her, charging an admission fee. It would not take long to pay all her debts and leave even a surplus for her, on which she could start again in business. Millions would eagerly pay a small coin to see her.

## BROWER'S.

### NEW YEAR RESOLUTIONS.

The best resolution you can make and stick to it is to put an up-to-date piece of furniture or a new carpet in the place of that delapidated old one, that has perhaps served you faithfully, but nevertheless is now ready to be placed on the pension list.

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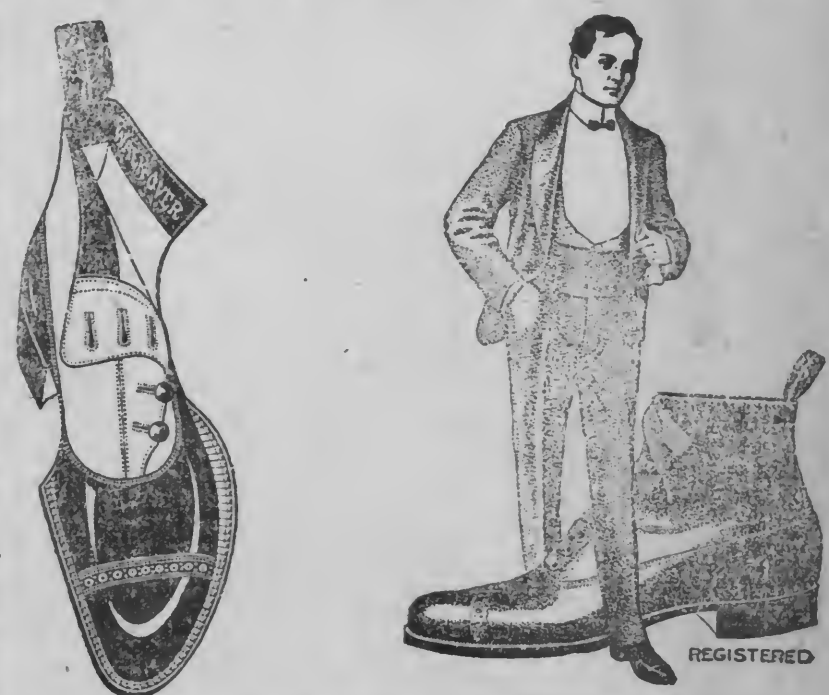
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## THE BOURBON NEWS.

Attend Simon's Red Tag Sale.  
Sold Out.

Cooper Bros., of Clintonville, sold their general merchandise business, yesterday, to R. S. Darnaby & Co.

Smoke "El Bogador" Cigars.

OCULIST.—Dr. H. C. Bowen, the oculist, will be at A. J. Winters & Co.'s on January 12th, 1905.

Residence Sold.

Mrs. Amelia Wilcox has sold her house, on Walker avenue, to Mrs. Pearl Brooks Cram for \$1,250.

L. & N. Wins Important Case.

Judge McNeil, of Cincinnati, decides that the L. & N. has the right of eminent domain and may condemn property to extend terminal.

Attend Simon's Red Tag Sale.

C. W. B. M. Meeting.

The Ladies of the C. W. B. M. are requested to meet at their rooms in the Christian Church, on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Attend Simon's Red Tag Sale.

Dividends Declared.

Semi-annual dividends were declared by the Paris banks as follows: Agricultural, 5 per cent.; Bourbon, 4; Citizens, 3; Deposit, 3; First National passed 3 per cent. to surplus.

Attend Simon's Red Tag Sale.

Closed At Last.

The taking of testimony in the Marcum damage trial was finished at noon Saturday. The lawyers are now speaking on the case and it is expected to reach the jury Wednesday.

Attend Simon's Red Tag Sale.

DRINK "Bourbon" Roasted Coffee. It is put up in little red sacks.

New Lodge Room.

The Masonic Lodge of Paris has moved into new quarters in the third story of the J. S. Wilson building. With a new velvet carpet and new furniture they have one of the handsomest lodge rooms in Kentucky.

Attend Simon's Red Tag Sale.

Movers Are Busy.

C. S. Goldstein and family have moved to the residence vacated by Elder J. T. Sharrard and wife, who have moved to Flemingsburg. Jas. Hardy and family have taken the residence vacated by Mr. Goldstein.

Attend Simon's Red Tag Sale.

Judge Cantrill Sworn In.

Judge-elect James E. Cantrill took up quarters at the Capitol Hotel in Frankfort Saturday, and on yesterday qualified as Judge of the Court of Appeals at the reorganization of the Court. Judge Hobson is now chief justice.

Attend Simon's Red Tag Sale.

Has Settled In Full.

On Saturday, Sheriff W. W. Mitchell handed to County Treasurer C. M. Thomas a check for \$51,928.80 amount of taxes due the county collected by him. Sheriff Mitchell on December 1st paid to Auditor Hager the sum of something over \$62,000 due the State from Bourbon.

Dull Court Day.

Yesterday was a dull and rainy Court Day. Small crowd in town and no stock worth mentioning on the market. A few mules changed hands at from \$10 to \$15 lower per head than last Court. Several Eastern buyers were here looking for fancy gaited saddle and harness horses.

County Board Of Supervisors.

Judge H. C. Smith, on yesterday, appointed the following gentlemen to compose the Board of Supervisors: Ed. Rice, Chairman, L. Talbott, G. S. Allen, W. F. Heathman, Vol Ferguson, Geo. Rassenfoss, T. W. Current; Pearce Paton, Clerk. The Board met yesterday and will continue in session for about three weeks.

Burglars at Work Again.

Yesterday evening, about 6 o'clock, Mrs. R. B. Hutehcraft went to her dining room to finish preparing her table for supper and found a burglar in the attempt of carrying away some of her silverware. The lights had been turned out and as Mrs. Hutehcraft walked into the room he dropped what articles he had and jumped from the window he had left up in making his entrance. She could not tell whether he was black or white, but says he had on a check suit of clothes. Be on your guard and keep your gun loaded for it seems that to wing these bold thieves is the only way to get them.

Having Trouble With the New Furnace.

The new furnace put in by the School Board at the City School seems to be a failure. They have had trouble with it all winter and school had to be dismissed on numerous occasions because it would not heat the rooms. The gasoline engine which runs the fan, exploded the other day, damaging four rooms. The furnace was purchased from the W. A. Clark Furnace Co., of Covington, for which a receiver was appointed yesterday. The noon in one of the rooms caught fire yesterday, but was extinguished before much damage was done.

We think the Board made a mistake in not contracting with home merchants in putting in this furnace, for they are reliable and on the ground to make good any trouble arising. There are now five furnaces in the building, each of course having a smoke pipe, when one furnace with about three feet of smoke pipe would do the work. Give home people a chance and you will always find it pays in the long run.

Professional Wolves.

Every Court Day, rain or shine, cold or sleet, a blind girl is placed on one of our street corners by a stout, healthy looking woman, and left there until night, the woman disappearing as soon as the child is placed on her box. The child with an old violin as accompaniment sings at the top of her voice all day long, regardless of the weather. We get it from reliable source that the money put into the cup for this little girl does her no good. The wolves that have her in charge spend it for whiskey. A gentleman of our city happened to be in the ear when this gang was leaving our city and says that the little blind girl was herself very drunk and used the most horrible oaths he ever heard. Any one who is blind has our heartfelt sympathy and we are at all times ready to aid such, but in this instance the officers of Paris should investigate and see that our citizens are not imposed on, by these able-bodied professional beats through this helpless and unfortunate child.

Taken Suddenly Ill.

Geo. Smith, Jr., the leader of the famous "Smittie's" band, which furnished music for the Cotillion Club here last week was taken suddenly ill at the Fordham Hotel after the dance and was taken home next day, suffering with pneumonia. It will be remembered that the young man's father died suddenly at same hotel only a few weeks ago while here with his band. Mr. Smith is dangerously ill at his home in Cincinnati. His many admirers here wish for his speedy recovery.

Holds His Annual Reception.

Judge Harmon Stitt will hold his annual reception in honor of the members of the Paris bar at his office to-day, from 2 to 5 o'clock. His office has been beautifully decorated with American Beauty Roses, ferns and potted plants. The Seventh Regiment Band, of Cincinnati, will furnish the music for the occasion. It is from two to five, but the guests are expected promptly at two, and carriages will be in waiting at five to take the them home.

Something Paris Needs

R. J. Neely will, in the early Spring, erect a three-story flat building on the lot recently purchased by him on the corner of Main and Eighth streets. The first story will be three handsome store-rooms and the two upper stories made into up-to-date flats with all modern improvements. A building of this kind is much needed in Paris, as houses for small families are always in demand. The building will be an ornament to that section of the city.

Attend Simon's Red Tag Sale.

New Firm.

Mr. James O'Brien has purchased the interest of Mr. Ben Woodford, Jr., in the business of Stuart & Woodford, and in the future the firm name will be Stuart & O'Brien. Mr. O'Brien is a popular gentleman and a fine business man, and we wish the new firm the continued success of the old firm. They will make their announcement to the public in next issue.

FOR SALE.—House and lot in Thornton Division at genuine bargain. Three rooms and kitchen, excellent cistern and outbuildings. Apply to 27dec-3t A. T. FORSYTH.

Deeds Filed Yesterday.

The following deeds were filed in the County Clerk's office yesterday: E. P. Gamble to Mrs. Sallie B. Best, a lot in Millersburg for \$2,500. Jonathan Myall to Geo. W. Link, a house and about seven acres, near Hutchison, for \$1,800. E. C. Foster heirs to W. P. Jett, about 12 acres near Ruddles Mills, for \$960.

## PERSONALS.

—Miss Margaret Ewalt is at home from Dayton, O., for a few weeks' stay.

—Miss Flora Rhea, of Frankfort, is visiting the Misses Gaper, on Second street.

—The younger set gave one of their delightful dances at Odd Fellows' Hall last night.

—Miss Raefie Herzog, of Cincinnati, spent Sunday with her uncle, Mr. I. L. Price, in this city.

—Mrs. Geo. R. Bell, who was taken suddenly ill Sunday evening with severe chill, is reported much better.

—Mr. and Mrs. Dan McMillan, of Georgetown, were the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ewalt, in this city, Thursday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fuhrman leave to-day for Manchester, Md., for a two weeks visit to Mr. Fuhrman's mother.

—Mr. James T. Davis, one of our oldest and most highly respected citizens, is at the point of death as we go to press.

—Miss Margaret Hicks, of Lexington, and Miss Anna Frank, of Cynthiana, are the guests of Miss Ida Belle Tate, of near Shawhan.

—Miss Bessie Booth has returned to Chicago, where she is attending college, after a ten days visit to her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Booth.

—Mrs. R. M. Harri gives a reception this (Tuesday) evening, from seven to eleven, in honor of Miss Taulbee, of Maysville, and Miss Hudson.

—Mrs. Catesby Woodford has returned from a visit to her mother, Mrs. Martha Davenport, at Charleston, W. Va. Her mother accompanied her home.

—Dol Moore and wife leave for Umatilla, Fla., Thursday, to spend the remainder of the winter. Mr. Moore owns an orange grove there that bore fine crop this season.

—Miss Theresa McDermott, of this city, won a beautiful mahogany rocker as first prize at a progressive euchre, Wednesday night, given by the young men of the Catholic church at Cynthiana.

—Mrs. S. J. Curle, of Cynthiana, is here nursing her sister-in-law, Miss Letitia Curle, who fell and fractured her hip several days ago. Miss Curle is in a critical condition, her age, 86 years, making her recovery doubtful.

—Dr. J. E. McKee, the osteopath of Lexington, was in the city yesterday, in consultation with Dr. F. M. Paris to see if the osteopathic treatment can reach the trouble of little Miss Janie Pryor, the bright little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pryor, who has been quite ill for several months.

—Robt. Dow, Jr., who has been spending the holidays with his father in this city, returned to his home at Des Moines, Ia. Mr. Dow is in the wholesale cigar business, and his brother, Rion Dow, accompanied him home to take a position with him as traveling salesman. W. M. Goodloe takes Mr. Dow's position at Dow-Hayden Grocery.

—Mrs. W. O. Hinton entertained Friday afternoon with a buffet luncheon in honor of her guests, Mrs. Clarence Freeman, Mrs. Yancy Freeman, Miss Eva Freeman (and) Miss Dale, all of Lexington. The residence was beautifully decorated with cut flowers, ferns and plants, and a Christmas tree was among the other pretty table decorations. There were about 25 guests present.

I will have a special Red Tag Sale, beginning Monday, Jan. 14th and continuing until Saturday, Jan. 24th.

HARRY SIMON.

Depot Secured At Last.

The Gutzzeit residence, on corner of High and Fifth Streets, was sold by Master Commissioner Dickson Friday, to Dr. Wm. Kenney and Mrs. D. D. Connors for \$2,300. At a former private sale this property was sold to Dr. Bruce Anderson for \$1,930, but it had to be resold by an order of Court, their being infant heirs interested. We understand that since the sale, Mr. Bailey Berry, representing the Bluegrass Traction Company, has leased the place for a passenger and freight station for that Company. We trust this is true, for the patrons of the Interurban have been using the postoffice for a waiting station in bad weather since the road was completed.

In the early Spring the old house which now stands will be removed and a large and commodious building erected on the site.

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Special prices of Table Linen, Napkins and Towels, and White Goods in special lots. All goods guaranteed as advertised.

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## MARRIAGES.

TAYLOR-OGDEN.

Mr. Duncan Taylor, formerly of Paris, now of Hobart, Oklahoma, was married Wednesday to Miss Lillian May Ogden, of Ft. Scott, Kas., at the home of the bride. The bride is a petite and lovely young woman. Mr. Taylor is very popular here, and his many friends wish him much happiness. He is now a partner of Mr. Talbott Clay in the shoe business at Hobart.

HEMP BRAKES.—Midway Hemp Brakes for sale by E. F. SPEARS & SONS.

Hanging At Winchester.

The first hanging in many years at Winchester will take place to-day when John Hathaway, a negro jockey will be executed for the murder of his mistress, a negro woman. The famous scaffold on which Whitney and O'Brien paid the penalty for the murder of Mr. A. B. Chinn has been borrowed from the Fayette county officials and will be used for the occasion.

BEFORE you slip, see T. Porter Smith.

Large Balance.

The close of business for the year in the Auditors office shows a balance of \$1,790,320.36 in the State Treasury, exclusive of all warrants and claims issued, which is probably the largest balance at any corresponding period in the State's history.

Something Unusual.

Sunday was the first day of the year, month and week. This is something rather unusual. Last month also had five Thursdays, five Fridays and five Saturdays. Figure out when these things will happen again.

## Notice to Stockholders

A meeting of the Stockholders of the First National Bank will be held at the said Bank on Tuesday, January 10, 1905, between 9 a. m. and 3 p. m., for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year.

3-2t C. M. THOMAS, President.

## Special Holiday Display!

Real Duchess and Point Gauze Lace, Berthas and Handkerchiefs.

BERTHAS, - - From \$4.00 to \$25.00 Each  
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Pictures and Frames,  
Moulding,  
Fine Rockers,  
Morris Chairs,  
Parlor Tables,  
Dining Tables,  
Children's Chairs & Rockers,  
Desks,

I am now prepared to show you the most elegant stock I ever carried. Come in to-day. No trouble to show you through.

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## THE REASON.

Grandma Gruff said a curious thing. "Boys may whistle, but girls must sing." That's the very thing I heard her say. To Kate, no longer than yesterday.

"Boys may whistle, but girls must sing." Now I call that a curious thing. It's boys can whistle, why can't girls, too? It's the easiest thing in the world to do.

So if boys can whistle and do it well, why cannot girls—will somebody tell? Why can't they do what a boy can do? That is the thing I should like to know.

I went to father and asked him why girls couldn't whistle as well as I. And he said: "The reason that girls must sing is because a girl's a sing-ular thing."

And grandma laughed till I knew she'd ache. When I said I thought it all a mistake. "Never mind, little man," I heard her say. "They will make you whistle enough some day."

—N. O. Picayune.

## Little France

A ROMANCE OF THE DAYS WHEN THE GREAT LORD HAWKE WAS KING OF THE SEA

BY  
CYRUS TOWNSEND BRADY  
Author of "Commodore Paul Jones,"  
"Reuben James," "For the Freedom of the Sea," etc.

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## CHAPTER XX.—CONTINUED.

"Yes, that's his way. I don't know whether he will be there or not now, though, since it's so late in the season. But let me tell you, Hatfield, he's done an unprecedented thing in sealing up the Brest fleet so long. I think it was old Cloudesley Shovel who said that a man was a fool and ought to be broke if he kept his ships out in the Bay of Biscay after September, and here it is the middle of November, and that war brig we spoke last week said that he was still there when she left, and looking as if he were going to stay there all winter, too."

"Yes, that's like him."  
"Like him! I should say so; I was a reefer on the Devonshire when he knocked L'Etendure's squadron into a cocked hat, and I've cruised with him since; he was an old friend of my father's before he died, used to stop at our house when he came to Boston, while he was on the West India station. In fact, I began my sea service with him. I never saw such a man. He's as swift as a frigate bird, and when he strikes he hits like a storm. He never lets go either, and such a fighter! He's well named Hawke, I think."

"Ay, but I very much doubt our running across him this morning," exclaimed Hatfield. "We should have seen a frigate surely by this time if he were there. You see, this westerly gale has been blowing for three days, or maybe longer, and he'll find it difficult to keep his position with such a heavy fleet on a lee-shore. Besides, the wind keeps the French tight in the harbor. He may have run over to Plymouth, or Torbay, ready to dash out again when the wind shifts."

"And perhaps give the French a chance to slip out, too. I'll wager a pound to a penny he's been praying they would try it all summer long."

The frigate, on the quarter-deck of which the two men had been speaking, had been moving rapidly through the water and they were much nearer the coast now. Indeed, the blink of the land—the dim blue haze upon the horizon which tells of voyages ended and havens near, and sometimes of wreck and disaster, when the storm gods are out—could be seen now from the deck, and the stern cliffs of Ushant were rising higher with every passing moment.

Save for the land before and to the north of them the horizon was clear. There was not a single ship in sight. It was evident that Sir Edward and his blockading fleet had gone away.

"What'll you do now?" asked Hatfield.

"Well, we'll run in a little farther, I think," continued Grafton, "we can at least see if the French are still in port. Perhaps we can find out what they are about to do. Then we'll bear up for Torbay, try to overhaul the fleet, and deliver these dispatches and the news."

"And Mademoiselle de Rohan?"  
"As to her, later, I am afraid."

"You won't try for it now, then?"  
"I think not. I must deliver these dispatches first of all."

"You have not given up the idea, though?"

"I never give up anything, Hatfield," answered Grafton resolutely, "and I'd as soon give up life as Anne de Rohan."

## CHAPTER XXI.

## THE BOAT IN THE PASS.

IT was evening. The Maidstone was beating to and fro off the mouth of the harbor of Brest. The wind was still blowing hard on the shore and the French ships were securely bottled up. They could not beat out of the narrow channel. At least it would be a dangerous undertaking and the game would be scarcely worth the candle. Therefore the Maidstone, although her approach had been noticed long since, had been permitted

to come as close as she dared unhindered.

From the foretop-mast cross-trees by the aid of a good glass Grafton had discovered unmistakable signs of preparation in the French fleet still wind-bound in the harbor. Many boats were passing between the ships and the shore, troops were being embarked, and provisions and supplies taken on board the huge line-of-battle ships and the frigates. It was quite evident that a movement of some sort was in contemplation; and it was more than probable that as soon as the wind served, taking advantage of the absence of the blockaders, the French would put to sea.

That was news of the highest importance. If they could learn the destination of the fleet there would be nothing left to be desired except an opportunity of meeting them; an opportunity Hawke would make if he were given the vestige of a chance.

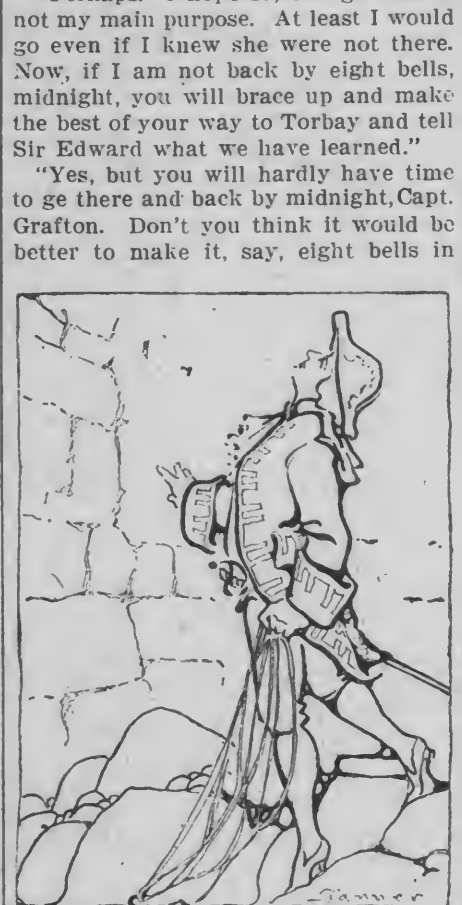
"Hatfield," said Grafton, as he came down from the cross-trees for the last time, it being too dark to see farther, "I have changed my mind. I am going ashore to see if I can not find out something about the French fleet."

"And you want me to go with you?"  
"No, that can not be. You must look after the ship. I will take the dinghy and one man, old Jabez Slocum. Now, mark me. My plan is to land at a little cove I know of under the lee of the Chateau de Josselin, about which I told you. I shall effect an entrance to the castle immediately, and see if there is anything to be learned there. If not, I will take Jabez and we will sail boldly into the harbor and find out what we can."

"And you will see Mademoiselle de Rohan?"

"Perhaps. I hope so, though that is not my main purpose. At least I would go even if I knew she were not there. Now, if I am not back by eight bells, midnight, you will brace up and make the best of your way to Torbay and tell Sir Edward what we have learned."

"Yes, but you will hardly have time to go there and back by midnight, Capt. Grafton. Don't you think it would be better to make it, say, eight bells in



HE STOOD AT GAZE.

the midwatch, or four o'clock in the morning? I'd hate mightily to run away and leave you."

"Very well," answered Grafton, "that will give me more time, and perhaps it would be better not to leave without exhausting every possible opportunity of getting information as to the destination of the French fleet, for there is no doubt in my mind that they intend to move."

"Nor in mine."

"Very well, then, we'll make it eight bells in the midwatch."

"And if you are not back then, I'm to make the best of my way to Torbay, or Plymouth, or wherever I can find Sir Edward, deliver the dispatches, and tell what we have seen?"

"That's it. Now, I need not tell you to watch the ship carefully on this hard lee-shore, and when you start for Hawke, if I am not here, drive her for all she has in her."

"I will do both, Capt. Grafton."

"Of course. And if the wind should change and the French should send out a liner or a couple of frigates after you, you are on no account to wait for me or anybody. The information we have gained is of far more importance than a half dozen captured frigates. Remember that running, not fighting, is your role. Don't hesitate on my account. Don't be captured, and don't be wrecked."

"Very good," answered Hatfield, "I shall carry out your instructions to the letter. But I wish I could go with you."

"I wish so, too, but you can't. One of us must stay by the ship. Remember that the fate of England is resting on your shoulders," continued the older man gravely, "for 'tis perfectly well known if the French get away from Brest successfully, and are not beaten elsewhere, they have an army all ready for a descent upon Ireland, or perhaps England herself."

"I shall remember it," answered Hatfield solemnly.

"That's well. Now, heave to and have the dinghy dropped overboard. See that the mast is stepped and the sail is close reefed; put a compass, a beaker of water, a couple of muskets and a bag of bread in her; stow away forward a coil of signal halliards and a stout rope with a grapnel bent on the end of it—about 30 fathoms of each, I think—and send old Jabez to me in my cabin."

"Ay, ay, sir," replied Hatfield, calling the hands to the braces as Grafton turned to the companionway and went below, whither he was followed shortly by the old sailor he had designated, with whom he spent a few moments in busy preparation. Presently the ship was hove to and the dinghy dropped alongside. Grafton and Slocum came on deck. Grafton wore his uniform and both men were fully armed with sword, cutlass, and pistols.

"You are surely not going in your uniform?" queried Hatfield.

"Yes, why not? I've no mind to hang as a spy, and if I am captured in this uniform I'm a prisoner of war only. Remember my instructions."

"I shall not forget them."

"Good-bye."

"Good-bye, and God bless you. I shall be in a fever of anxiety until you return," exclaimed the lieutenant as they parted.

Waving his hand Grafton stepped to the gangway and dropped easily down the battens into the boat, whither Slocum had preceded him. A vigorous shove sent them clear of the frigate; a bit of close reefed sail was hoisted on the dinghy and she gathered way toward the distant shore.

After two hours of hard running, having at last come well within the harbor mouth and reached a point opposite the old chateau, they bore up and began ratching in toward the shore. It seemed to the old sailor at the helm, after they had made several short tacks, that they were getting perilously near the breakers. As he peered ahead he thought he could see the white caps, and he believed, as he turned his ear up to windward, that he could hear the roar of the mighty waves. One more tack and they would certainly be in the midst of them.

Grafton had ordered him to throw the dinghy up into the wind and check her way while he investigated the situation. He had gone forward and was kneeling down by the mast peering ahead trying to get his bearings. Finally, having satisfied himself as well as he could in the darkness, he called out a command to the sailor at the tiller. Although it looked like certain destruction, old Jabez was too thorough a seaman to hesitate to obey, and when Grafton directed him to put the helm over he let her go off, slipped out the sheet, and in a few seconds they gathered way and were rushing straight for the breakers.

They could now dimly make out the black mass of the cliffs before them. In the tower of the chateau which rose above them were two lights. Grafton sought them out from other lights in other windows in the castle. He was sure of the tower, for he thought he recognized its conical top; though the darkness was so deep, there were signs of a break in the clouds—in fact, they had broken over the tower. Was that a star above it to lead him on?

One light Grafton surmised came from the oriel window in the tower, the other from the window of the room adjacent to it. By what happy fortune did they chance to be lighted that night? If he were right in his opinion he knew his course to the mouth of the passage to the little bay. Once in the channel leading to it, he would have to trust to instinct to feel his way through.

"Mind your steering, now, Slocum!" he cried. "Keep your weather eye lifting and obeying my orders exactly. Our lives depend on it. Starboard a little! So! I think we can win through, but it's touch and go. Steady! Do you see those two lights?"

"I see 'em, sir."

"Keep them in range until I say further. Steady, now! Nothing off, for God's sake, man! Hold her up to it!"

The boat steered with an uneasy helm. She had a tendency to fall off, to go leeward, that is; but old Jabez set his teeth hard, contracted his brows, and peering steadily out at the lights high above and far ahead of them, kept her on her course.

They were nearing the shore rapidly now; it looked awfully close. The cliffs loomed up in front of them grim and terrible. There was no entrance through them, no rift even, no way that he could see. Their course seemed madness. Another moment and they would be beaten to pieces. But the business of the old sailor was to obey orders and steer the boat. He put everything else out of his heart and watched and listened, all his skill and discipline at his own command, and at his captain's service.

"Well done!" Grafton called back to him. "Now let her go off a little. Easy, now! Very well, dyce! Port, once more. So! Port, again!"

"Port it is, sir!" cried Jabez, as the boat's head fell off to starboard in obedience to the command.

Then, in compliance with the rapid and changing directions of Grafton, he luffed up to port and then again swung to starboard; twisting about, in obedience to Grafton's instinctive conning, through the narrow pass through the reefs.

They were right in the breakers now. The waves were hissing, boiling and roaring around them on every side. The sea was white with the surf. The old man thought his last hour had come in that riven sea; the rapid succession of commands from the captain, however, left him no time for reflection; the boat whirled about, darted back and forth, swung from side to side like a mad-woman, a Bacchante, under their skillful handling. She seemed doomed a dozen times, and that she was not shattered was wonderful. Suddenly right in front of them loomed a black mass of rock.

"Luff!" roared Grafton. "Luff her hard!"

The little boat spun around once more like a dancing girl, her starboard side just scraping a jagged reef. Then came leaping up into the wind, then bore away on the other tack.

"That was a close shave," screamed Grafton, "but we're all right yet. Give her a good full now. God! But it's dark! We've lost the lights, but I think we can feel our way. Hard over!" he shrieked, as another rock rose up in front of them.

As they cleared the rock, they suddenly whirled about, swept through a narrow opening, and found themselves in smooth water. The cliffs rose high above them on every side. The wind, though they could still hear it roaring

faintly, seemed to die away suddenly. The change from the wild clamor of the pass to the silence and stillness in the bay was startling. The dinghy drifted in for a few moments and then slowly came to a standstill, the water rippling along her keel. The men sat quiet, but with beating hearts and panting breaths from their labor and excitement, until they had recovered themselves in a measure. Far above them towered the massive walls of the chateau.

"We are in," said Grafton at last, a note of triumph and relief thrilling through his voice.

He climbed aft and grasped the hand of the old man.

"By heaven, Jabez, I never saw such steering! We were gone a dozen times but for you!"

"Twant my steerin', yer honor, s'much as 'twas your pilotin' got us in," remarked the old sailor, wiping the sweat from his forehead with his other hand. "Twas a close shave all the way through. Wot next, sir?"

"Out with the oars, now, and let us row to the shore," he said, taking the tiller while Jabez shipped the oars. "Gently, man!" he added, as the boat surged rapidly forward under the old sailor's powerful strokes.

Presently her prow touched a little stretch of beach a few feet wide, which Philip remembered to have seen right at the foot of the place where he determined to make the attempt to descend the wall of the chateau.

"Now, Slocum," he said, "pass me that coil of signal halliards."

When the mass of light but strong line was handed him he slipped the coil around his neck.

"Ef I mought make so bold, yer honor, wot are ye goin' to do?" asked the sailor.

"I am going to ascend the wall of the castle yonder."

"Good Lord!" ejaculated the old man, "it can't be done. Why, 'tis a regular pressin'! I c'n shin up any 'yal mast that ever was set, but that 'ere—"

"That'll do, Jabez. I've been here before and I know it's possible to scale the wall. It has been done before—by a lover."

"Taint fer the likes o' me to speak to you," said the old seaman; "but lovers allus was fools, they say, 'whil I ain't never been one, an' mebbe Providence watches over 'em special like, but as fer sailors—"

"I am a lover, too, Jabez, if it comes to that. 'Tis not only for England that I go into that tower. Now, we've talked enough. I am going to climb to that window from which the light is coming. D'y'e see it? The one with the balcony. Then I am going to drop the end of this piece of signal halliards down to you. I want you to bend on the end of that coil of rope in the bow to it. Be sure to make it fast to the grapnel end. Then I'll haul it up, hook it to the balcony, and have a ladder to come down again."

"Werry good, sir."

"Then you are to stay in the boat here and keep a sharp lookout for anything and everything. Have your muskets ready for use, too. You're a good shot, aren't you?"

"I used to be, sir."

"I remembered it. Now, if I should happen to fall you are to pick up what's left of me and take it back to the ship—if you can get back."

"An' if you don't come down, sir, w'ich God forbid—"

"Wait until about four bells in the midwatch for me, as near as you can guess the time—here, take my watch and then you can be sure—and then make your way as best you can to the ship. It will be easier to get out of this little bay, I think, than it was to get into it, especially if the wind shifts off-shore. Keep her reefed down and take it slowly; you must remember something of the pass from our coming in."

"If you ain't to go with me, cap't, I don't care w'ether I gits out alive or not. I'll jest jam her head for the openin' an' let her go. Damme, beggin' yer parding, sir, I wish you'd take me into that 'ere tower, too."

"I would rather have you down here, Jabez. Good-by; remember what I told you," Grafton said, extending his hand to his faithful but humble companion.

"I won't forget none of it, sir," answered the old man in a melancholy voice, shaking his captain by the hand.

## CHAPTER XXII.

## LIKE A BIRD IN THE AIR.

GRAFTON sprang lightly to the shore, and finding a suggestion of a path up the cliff, clambered slowly over the stones, until he stood on the narrow shelf of rock at the foot of the tower. He threw his head far back and looked up along its slanting surface. The clouds had broken now, and though the sky was still arid with their racing before the wind, he could see, around the black edge of the crenellated top, a star or two.

As he gazed upward that peculiar optical delusion which seizes people who look up at the sheer pitch of a lofty building came upon him. It seemed to him as though the castle were swaying toward him; as though in another moment it might fall and crush him. He lost all sense of the considerable inclination of the tower, or if there were any variation from the perpendicular; it seemed to him to slope back over his head, instead of away from him. It was an appalling sight. He stood at gaze a second or two and looked straight before him.

"This will never do," he murmured, "if I hesitate longer I shall be lost."

## [To Be Continued.]

## A Question of Moving.

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**Nothing Serious.**  
"I saw Ennepe going into a doctor's office this morning," said Stringer. "He had an awful cut on his head that his wife was responsible for."  
"You don't say!" exclaimed Nibbles. "What did she hit him with?"  
"Oh, she didn't hit him at all," explained Stringer. "It was merely a hair-cut she had given him as a matter of economy."—Chicago News.

**The Real Hero.**  
It's easy enough to be pleasant when you're getting good wages and praise. But hurray for the lad who keeps on being glad while looking in vain for a raise. —Chicago Record-Herald.

#### A TRIFLE MIXED.



"Why, Prudence, where's Dickie? Is this a new sweetheart?"  
"Not so very new, neither, miss. It be this way. I be courting Samuel, but Dick be courting I."—Punch.

**Slim.**  
I read a Christmas magazine. It was the thickest ever since. The "ads" were there I do declare. But not much reading in between. —Chicago Chronicle.

**Saw Through It.**  
Subbs—The cook going to quit next Saturday? Great Caesar! Perhaps if you were to drop a hint that we intended giving her a nice present at Christmas she might reconsider.  
Mrs. Subbs (dejectedly)—I did, dear, and that's why she gave notice. She said she didn't care to work any longer for such scheming folk. —The Waitress.

**Pill Pictures.**  
Patent Medicine Man—I want some pictures of pretty and healthy children, to use in my advertisements of my juvenile pills.  
Photographer—Very well; I'll start for Louisville to-morrow, where I can find plenty of healthy children, for there isn't a doctor or a drug store in the whole county. —N. Y. Weekly.

**Position.**  
On turning the corner the scrublady who worked in the office of a rendering establishment encountered another scrublady.  
She held her head high in the air and passed her without recognition.  
"That woman scrubs in a glue factory," she said to herself. —Chicago Tribune.

**Little Wizzie Wisdom.**



"Who is that shabby looking man over there?"  
"He is the president of the bank."  
"And who is that well-dressed looking gentleman with him?"  
"That's his office boy."  
"But why?"  
"That's just it. The office boy deposits his earnings in the clothing store. The president keeps his in the bank." —N. Y. Sun.

**Woman's Moods.**  
Indicative.—When she picks out the hat.  
Subjective (fast becoming obsolete).—When she wonders if she can afford it.  
Imperative.—When she mentions the matter to her husband.  
Infinite.—When her husband asks if there is no end to her extravagance. —Puck.

**Two Old Stand-Bys.**  
"I see that somebody is again writing magazine articles in which he endeavors to prove that Bacon wrote the works of Shakespeare."  
"Yes, they come back to it with un-failing regularity. Pretty soon some magazine will begin publishing a new life of Napoleon." —Chicago Record-Herald.

**A Work of Fiction.**  
"Did you ever read 'He Fell in Love with His Wife'?"  
"No, and I ain't goin' to read no such fool thing, either." —Houston Post.

**Too Common.**  
"I am surprised, Fanny, that a honnie young lassie like you should choose to marry a man with only one leg," observed a north-country lady to her pretty housemaid.  
Fanny (equal to the occasion)—Well, ma'am, you see I'm very particular about such matters; and two-legged men are much too common for me.—Tit-Bits.

**Next Best.**  
"But you promised to take me to the football game to-day."  
"I know it; but the game has been postponed."  
"And I just had my heart set on going."  
"Well—suppose we get out to the abattoirs, they're quite interesting." —Houston Post.

**His Disquieting Suspicion.**  
"Do you enjoy your wife's teas and receptions?"  
"No," answered Mr. Cumrox; "to be candid, I do not. I can't help harboring a suspicion that if I didn't happen to be her husband Mrs. Cumrox would not consider me of sufficient social consequence to be invited." —Washington Star.

**A Modified Appreciation.**  
"Do you place any reliance on the weather predictions?"  
"Yes," answered Farmer Cornstossel. "I allus give 'em credit for one thing. The weather mentioned is always produced sooner or later, although the dates aren't always strictly accurate." —Washington Star.

**Sure to Follow.**  
"Did you ever have any difficulty in making your guests at ease in conversation?"  
"No," answered the hostess. "I always invite a pianist of reputation. As soon as the music starts the conversation is sure to follow." —Washington Star.

**Different Points of View.**

"It always seemed to me it must be an ideal life, that of a bachelor with all his freedom."  
"Quite right, madam! But occasionally one longs for a being who will kiss away the care from his brow—and keep his laundry work in order." —Simplicissimus.

**How It Works.**  
With some new wealth so disagreeable. When raised too soon to higher stations. They strive to prune their family trees by cutting off their poor relations. —Brooklyn Life.

**An Ample Supply.**  
"And now," said the promoter, after explaining his scheme, "I'm willing to let you in on the ground floor."  
"Not any for me, thank you," replied the wise guy. "My wife has enough of those basement bargains at home to last us for 99 years." —Chicago News.

**Rocks vs. Sand.**  
Edyth—I'm surprised to hear of your engagement to old Bullyon. Was he the only man with sand enough to propose?  
Mayme—Oh, no; but he was the only one with rocks enough to interest me. —Chicago News.

**Caught on the Rebound.**  
He—Are you aware that I am something of a mind reader?  
She—No. Do you mean to say that you can read my thoughts?  
He—Sure.  
She—Oh, George, this is so sudden! —Chicago News.

**An Economic Arrangement.**  
"Christmas comes but once a year," said the cheery citizen.  
"No use of it's coming twice a year," said the morose person. "Must give a man a chance to save a little money before he can spend it." —Washington Star.

**Only Had Two.**  
Tommy—Mummy, my boots hurt me.  
Mother—No wonder, dear; you've got them on the wrong feet.  
Tommy—What are me to do den? Dey's all the feet I've got.—Ally Sloper.

**Why It Was.**  
Police Inspector—Why didn't you report at 11 o'clock, as I told you to? It is after 12 now!  
Detective—Fact is, sir, I didn't know the time. One of those pickpockets I was shadowing stole my watch! —Smith's Weekly.

**The Post Met His Match.**  
Office Boy—There are two men out there, sir, who want to see you; one of them is a poet and the other a deaf man.  
Editor—Well, go out and tell the poet that the deaf man is the editor.—Tit-Bits.

#### AUNT HULDAH'S PHILOSOPHY

Embracing Some Observations That Are Humorous as Well as Wise.

It is not needful to give her a local habitation and a surname. Every reader knows, says Youth's Companion, that she exists, numerously, and probably he has heard her—or one of her—make just such observations as these that follow, the stray sentences gathered and treasured in the course of a half-hour's conversation:

"The recipes don't say take so many spoonfuls or cupfuls of it, but you can't do much cooking without you mix in considerable gumption."

"Tisn't a good plan for a girl to look forward to nothing but getting married. Generally she gets so cross-eyed from hard looking that she sees the wrong man."

"The best way to keep a secret from the prying kind of folks is to tell them all about it. Then they won't care half-believe what you say, and they'll forget it as quick as they can."

"I believe in women's rights, but I never say so to these here young brides that don't know how to cook anything but fudge and soft custard. It's men's rights I talk to them."

"Funny, isn't it, how the mud-puddles and the barbed-wire fences go out of their way to play tag with a boy that's got his Sunday clothes on?"

"I s'pose you might say, looking at it one way, that liquor is great stuff to sort of even up things. Of course it takes the shingles off a man's barn, but then it puts patches on his pants."

**A WARNING TO MOTHERS.**  
Close Watch Should Be Kept to Prevent Children from Swallowing Things.

I think that mothers ought to be warned against the danger of giving small children pennies or brass buttons or anything of brass that there is a possibility of their swallowing. I have heard of many instances where dreadful results have followed, but will only mention two that I have known of personally, writes a mother, in Medical Talk for the Home.

A cousin of my own swallowed an old-fashioned copper cent when he was a small child. It poisoned his system, so that he grew out of shape (was badly deformed), and crippled so that he could not walk without crutches. He endured a lingering death until past 30 years of age.

The other was that of a poor, emaciated young man whom I met abroad about 25 years ago, who told me that he knew that his time on earth would be but a few months, and the cause of this condition was the swallowing of a piece of brass (a rivet, I think, but do not remember). He was working in a brass factory. He was anxious that every one should know of the danger of swallowing a piece of copper or brass.

I have known children to swallow nickels (five-cent pieces) and no bad results followed, so I suppose the real danger is in swallowing copper.

**SEVERAL KITCHEN WRINKLES**  
Culinary Suggestions That May Be of Use to the Busy Housewife.

A ham is greatly improved if after being boiled it is wrapped in buttered paper and baked for an hour, says the Washington Star.

If a can of milk is placed near an open vessel containing turpentine the smell of turpentine is soon communicated to the milk. The same result occurs as regards tobacco, paraffin, asafetida, camphor and many other strong-smelling substances. Milk should be kept at a distance from every volatile substance, and milk which has stood in sick chambers should never be used.

When taking feathers from a pillow or a tick to put into a new one the latter must be stitched all round except for a space, say, ten inches. In the former rip a hole to correspond, sew the two lightly together, and by pushing and shaking the feathers will pass into the new receptacles with not a bit of down of fluff flying about.

It is well to remember when papering a small room that blue in all light shades makes a room look longer. Dark colors or papers with large patterns have the opposite effect.

**Salads for Meats.**  
Appropriate salads to serve with the various roasts. With roast pig, apple and water cress; with turkey, celery farsel with lettuce, or celery and orange; other combinations being celery, apple and English walnuts, or plain celery and lettuce; for roast goose nothing is better than plain blanched lettuce or escarole. Other delicious salads for the holiday are bar-le-duc, cream cheese and lettuce; green peppers cut in long ribbons, and grape fruit and English walnuts served on lettuce leaves. —N. Y. Post.

**Fruit Cookies.**  
One cupful butter, two cupfuls brown sugar, three eggs, three tablespoonfuls hot water, one small teaspoonful soda, one cupful chopped fruit (currants or raisins); all kinds of spice; mix soft; do not roll very thin, and bake in a moderate oven. —People's Home Journal.

**Popcorn Pudding.**  
Three pints of milk, two eggs; three pints of popped corn (each kernel must be white and not scorched in the least), a very little salt; serve with sweet cream; bake one-half hour. —Chicago Post.

**The Only Thing.**  
"There's nothing so foolish in this world as one-half of a telephonic conversation."  
"Except the other half." —Sunday Magazine.

#### Sunken Station.

The pumping station and coal shed at Galien, on the Burlington railroad, a short distance east of Sterling, O., which began to disappear into the earth recently, is entirely out of sight now, with the exception of the top piece of stove-pipe, which is still visible in the large circular hole in which the buildings disappeared.

**Friendly Suggestion.**  
Windig—I don't know what we are going to do with our youngest boy. Joblots—What's the trouble?  
"He's getting so we can't believe a word he says."

"Why don't you get him a job in the prediction department of the government weather bureau?" —Chicago Daily News.

**Fourteen-Year-Old Bride.**  
A marriage at an exceptionally early age—so far, at least, as the British Isles are concerned—was made at Melton when a girl of 14 was wedded to a man of 22. The nuptials of the very youthful bride, who hails from Harby, in the Vale of Belvoir, took place in the local registry office.

**Cream Pancakes.**  
Mix the yolks of three well-beaten eggs with half a pint of cream, sweetened with two ounces of sugar, flavor with powdered cinnamon, name and grated nutmeg, and fry quickly in sweet, heated lard, drain and dish, sprinkling with granulated sugar, and serve halved oranges. —People's Home Journal.

**A Rough Route.**  
Stranger in Detroit—I don't see why they charge three cents on one street car line and five cents on the other.

**Old Resident.**—The three-cent line throws off two cents for wear and tear on the passengers. —Detroit Free Press.

**Worry Over Small Things.**  
People worry over such mean things, and eat out their hearts and destroy their chances of happiness over microscopic grievances which are not worth a moment's serious consideration. —Madame.

**A Human Propensity.**  
Nothing seems to tickle a homeless cur like a chance to lick the everlasting stuffing out of a curled and scented poodle in a silver-plated harness. —Chicago Post.

**Really Dangerous Duel.**  
The Deroulede-Jaures opera bouffe French duel had more dangerous features than is common in such affairs. Both principals arrived on the scene in automobiles. —Brooklyn Times.

**Most Sanguinary Battle.**  
The most sanguinary of modern battles was probably that of the Moskewa in 1812, when of the 130,000 French 30,000 were lost, and of the 140,000 Russians 60,000.

**Did He Drink It?**  
A policeman who has been on the force of London for six years has been sent to prison for stealing milk from doorsteps.

**Creased Hats Next.**  
Now that coats and overcoats have to be creased as well as trousers, the London News says that collars and tall hats will be creased next.

**Live Up to Them.**  
It's no use bragging of your ancestors unless they should feel like returning the compliment. —Chicago Tribune.

**Hypnotism for Drink.**  
Moscow asylum authorities are experimenting on a hypnotic cure for alcoholism.

**MARKET REPORT.**

Cincinnati, Dec. 30.

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LAMBS—Extra 7 15 @ 7 25  
FLOUR—Spring pat 6 10 @ 6 35  
WHEAT—No. 2 red 1 20 @ 1 20  
No. 3 winter 1 12 @ 1 12  
CORN—No. 2 mixed 46 1/2 @ 46 1/2  
No. 2 white 47 @ 47  
OATS—No. 2 mixed 33 1/2 @ 33 1/2  
No. 2 white 34 @ 34  
RYE—No. 2 82 1/2 @ 82 1/2  
HAY—Ch. timothy 12 75 @ 12 75  
PORK—Clear mess 12 55 @ 12 55  
LARD—Steam 6 42 1/2 @ 6 42 1/2  
BUTTER—Ch. dairy 17 @ 17  
Choice creamery 25 50 @ 3 00  
APPLES—Choice 1 50 @ 1 55  
POTATOES—Per bbl 1 00 @ 1 00  
TOBACCO—New 5 00 @ 13 00  
Old 4 50 @ 14 75

Chicago.

FLOUR—Winter pat 5 10 @ 5 25  
WHEAT—No. 2 red 1 15 1/2 @ 1 18 1/2  
No. 3 red 98 @ 1 12  
CORN—No. 2 mixed 43 1/2 @ 44  
OATS—No. 2 mixed 29 1/2 @ 29 1/2  
RYE—No. 2 75 @ 75  
PORK—Mess 11 05 @ 11 15  
LARD—Steam 6 75 @ 6 75

New York.

FLOUR—Win. strts. 5 25 @ 5 40  
WHEAT—No. 2 red 1 21 1/2 @ 1 21 1/2  
CORN—No. 2 mixed 45 1/2 @ 45 1/2  
OATS—No. 2 mixed 35 1/2 @ 36 1/2  
PORK—Family 14 00 @ 14 50  
LARD—Steam 7 15 @ 7 15

Baltimore.

CATTLE—Steers 3 75 @ 4 50  
SHEEP—No. 1 fat 2 50 @ 3 00  
LAMBS—Choice 6 00 @ 6 50  
CALVES—Choice 8 00 @ 8 50  
HOGS—Dressed 6 25 @ 6 50

Louisville.

WHEAT—No. 2 red 1 18 @ 1 18  
CORN—No. 2 mixed 45 1/2 @ 45 1/2  
OATS—No. 2 mixed 32 1/2 @ 32 1/2  
PORK—Mess 11 00 @ 11 00  
LARD—Steam 7 00 @ 7 00

Indianapolis.

WHEAT—No. 2 red 1 18 @ 1 18  
CORN—No. 2 mixed 45 @ 45  
OATS—No. 2 mixed 33 @ 33

#### HE DID THE TALKING.

And His Self-Importance Blinded Him to the Possibility of a Mistake.

A lively-looking porter stood on the rear platform of a sleeping car in the Pennsylvania station, says the Cleveland Plain Dealer, when a fussy and choleric old man clambered up the steps. He stopped at the door, puffed for a moment and then turned to the young man in uniform.

"Porter," he said, "I'm going to St. Louis, to the fair. I want to be well taken care of. I pay for it. Do you understand?"

"Yes, sir, but—"

"Never mind any 'buts.' You listen to what I say. Keep the train boys away from me. Just me off whenever I want you. Give me an extra blanket, and if there is anyone in the berth over me, slide him into another. I want you to—"

"But, say, boss, I—"

"Young man, when I'm giving instructions I prefer to do the talking myself. You do as I say. Here is a two-dollar bill. I want to get the good of it. Not a word, sir."

The train was starting. The porter pocketed the bill with a grin and swung himself to the ground.

"All right, boss!" he shouted. "You can do the talking if you want to. I'm powerful sorry you wouldn't let me tell you—but I ain't going out on that train."

**GAVE HIS MAN MUCH TIME**  
He Could Take Sixteen Hours a Day to Do His Work If He Required It.

Judge Sanderson, who is practicing law in Everett, Wash., formerly lived in Kentland, Ind., the boyhood home of George Ade, the humorist, relates Success Magazine.

"Ade was a peculiar character, in his younger years," says the judge. "He made my office a sort of a loafing place during the little time he spent in loafing. He was employed on a farm owned by a banker. One day he walked into the office and said to me:

"That man is the best I ever worked for."  
"Why?" I asked, for I knew that something funny was coming from Ade.

"Well," he replied, "he doesn't ask a man to do a day's work in ten hours—he gives him 16."

As a boy we didn't suppose that Ade would amount to much," continued the judge, "though his drollery was always amusing."

**Fine Politeness.**  
Newrich—How'd you get along at the dinner?  
Mrs. Newrich—Fine. When they eat pie with a fork, I don't let 'em, so as not to let 'em see their break. —N. Y. Sun.

**Shouting Their Praises.**  
Kirkland, Ill., Jan. 2nd.—(Special)—Cured of the terrible rheumatic pains that made him a cripple for years, Mr. Richard R. Greenhorn, an old and respected resident of this place, is shouting the praises of the remedy that cured him, Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"I had the rheumatism in my left limb so that I could not walk over ten feet rods at a time, and that by the use of two cures," Mr. Greenhorn says, "I would have to sit or lie down on the ground when I was out trying to walk, and the sweat would run down my face, with so much pain. I could not sleep at night for about five or six weeks."

"I tried different doctors' medicines, but they were all no good. Then I sent for Dodd's Kidney Pills and almost from the first they brought relief. By the time I had taken fourteen boxes of them my rheumatism was all gone and I can truly say I feel better than I have in the last twenty-five years."

A man thinks it awfully stupid for a woman to lose her pocketbook, but he forgets how often she has to help him find his car button, and remembers for him just where he put his hat. —Baltimore American.

**ULCERS FOR THIRTY YEARS.**  
Painful Eruptions from Knees to Feet Seemed Incurable Until He Used Cuticura.

Another of those remarkable cures by Cuticura, after doctors and all else had failed, is testified to by Mr. M. C. Moss, of Gainesville, Texas, in the following letter: "For over thirty years I suffered from painful ulcers and an eruption from my knees to feet, and could find neither doctors nor medicine to help me, until I used Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills, which cured me in six months. They helped me the very first time I used them, and I am glad to write this so that others suffering as I did may be saved from misery."

A Michigan editor has had a streak of bad luck. He was just about to stop in his new \$10,000 automobile the other night when three bed rails gave way and he awoke.—Auto Era.

**To Cure a Cold in One Day**  
Take Laxative Broom Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Like our experience with other pretty girls, we sometimes find that when we think Fortune is smiling on us, she really has her eye on the tall man behind us.—Puck.

I am sure Piso's Cure for Consumption saved my life three years ago.—Mrs. Thos. Robbins, Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 17, 1900.

When a man in his pajamas bumps his shin on a rocking chair it is surprising what a weak, waxy thing his vocabulary seems to him.—N. Y. Press.

**Are You Going to Florida or New Orleans?**  
Tickets on sale via Queen & Crescent Route and Southern Railway to Florida, New Orleans and other points south at greatly reduced rates, good returning May 31st, 1905.

Also variable route tickets good going to points in Florida and Cuba via Atlanta, and returning via Asheville. For rates and other information address:  
W. A. Becker, N. P. A., 113 Adams Street, Chicago, Ill.  
D. P. Brown, N. E. P. A., 11 Fort Street, W., Detroit, Mich.  
W. W. Dunnivant, T. P. A., Warren, Ohio.  
W. C. Rineason, G. P. A., Cincinnati, Ohio.

Chicago is to have a daily paper for women, about women, by women. Look out for scoops—also, toques, Gaiusboroughs and turbans.—Indianapolis News.

**A Guaranteed Cure for Piles.**  
Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Your druggist will refund money if Pazo Ointment fails to cure in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

The etiquette of horsewhipping has been fixed. When a woman attacks, run.—Des Moines News.

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**PISO'S CURE FOR** Coughs, Croup, Whooping Cough, Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever, Etc. Best Cough Syrup. Tastes Good. In Infants, Sold by Dr. J. C. Fletcher.

**CONSUMPTION**



## FIRST SALE AT WAREHOUSE MONDAY WEEK.

## Farmers Invited To Have Their Tobacco on Hands.

## BRIK COMPETITION AND GOOD PRICES EXPECTED.

The Burley Loose Tobacco Warehouse Company, of Lexington, is sending out invitations to the farmers inviting them to attend its opening sale at Lexington on January the 9th, at 1 p. m.

Mr. Bohmer, the manager of this new enterprise, has worked hard to bring about a condition which will give the farmers competition in the sale of their tobacco at home. He began under the assumption that no system could be a lasting success unless the privileges and opportunities were equally divided between the seller and the buyer, and asserts that had the Burley Loose Tobacco Warehouse been in operation last winter no such loss would have been sustained by the farmer as was done by not being posted as to the value of his tobacco and on account of lack of competition. He is in hopes of convincing the farmer that it is decidedly to his interest to offer his tobacco for sale at some central point, and in a well lighted and especially equipped building for the purpose, where buyers and sellers can meet—the one showing his product and the other offering his price in competition. There can be no doubt that where fifty or a hundred manufacturers, waiting an article that the seller can demand and will obtain a higher price than if a thousand farmers are clamoring among themselves to unload their tobacco on one buyer. The average farmer of this section has not known for years but one buyer, but notwithstanding this, there are a large number of manufacturers in the world that use millions and millions of pounds of Burley tobacco annually. The majority of these manufacturers have not faced much better than the farmer, for whereas the farmer has seldom gotten the value in accordance with the demand and supply, the independent manufacturers located away from here, have been forced to pay at times fabulous prices for their stock of Burley tobacco.

The system under which the Burley Loose Tobacco Warehouse Company intends operating, offer decided advantages to the farmer in the sale of his tobacco and to the independent manufacturer. It gives an opportunity to buy exactly those grades that he might want directly from the producer and to assort and pack same just as his individual trade and the requirements might demand. And for this privilege he is willing to pay an extra price.

On the 9th of January, the farmers of this section can see what competition will do for them, and those having tobacco at the warehouse will undoubtedly receive the highest market prices. It is known that the independent manufacturers are short of stock and for this reason they will go to Lexington prepared to buy freely.

The house in which the Burley Loose Tobacco Warehouse Company intends conducting their sales at Lexington is a magnificent building, especially constructed and equipped for this particular purpose. The company will do strictly a commission business and will at all times aim to get the very highest prices for their farmer patrons, because the higher the price the larger their commission. They are ready to receive tobacco and will store and prepare same for their opening sale free of charge. They also agree to make liberal advances on tobacco stored in their warehouse. They make no charge for the farmer rejecting the price and only after a satisfactory offer has been secured do they charge a commission, about one-fourth of what it costs to ship and sell in Louisville and Cincinnati. Immediately after the farmer accepts the offer made on his tobacco he is paid the proceeds in full.

## Corn Wanted.

Four hundred (400) barrels of corn wanted.

R. B. HUTCHCRAFT.

## AMUSEMENTS.

## HAPPY HOOLIGAN.

That celebrated character "Happy Hooligan" who has become world famous is illustrated in the successful, funny musical farce by that title and which comes to Paris, January 4. It shows especially what things are done and said by well-meaning, amiable, obliging, accommodating, very polite, urbane, courteous personage who always means well but always comes to grief. The scenes are from the pen sketches of F. Oppen in the illustrated comic weeklies, and Frank Dmott, the author of this latest bit of fun, has turned out the best work of his career. The management seems to have taken the limit off and really splurged in presenting this piece to the public. The interpreting company is of unusual magnitude and importance, including the leading lights in musical farce, while the secondary roles are in competent keeping, and even those of minor consequence are given marked prominence in the action. Extraordinary care has been evinced in the selection of the chorus and ballet. Youth and prepossessing appearance were made essential and every type of feminine loveliness is introduced. Surprises are frequent and enjoyable throughout the performance, and there is a commendable dash, sparkle and brilliancy leaving only pleasant memories of pretty girls, cavorting comedians, sweet singers, dainty dancers, gorgeous costumes, and sumptuous scenic display. Among those prominent in the cast may be seen the names of Frank McNish, John Price, Ruby Raymond, Eva Thatcher, Charles Saunders and Joseph Pottengill.

Seats on sale Wednesday, January 4, at Varden's drug store. Prices, 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

## JAMES BOYS IN MISSOURI.

Many plays have been written about the picturesque career of the James Boys, those noted Missouri bandits. None to equal "The James Boys in Missouri," that remarkable scene melodrama which depicts among other incidents in the lives of the noted high-boys, the Blue On Train Robbery, which is staged with wonderful effect. At the Paris Grand Jan. 4, prices 25c, 35c and 50 cents.

## QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE DEPOSIT BANK OF PARIS,

At close of business on the 31st day of December, 1904.

| RESOURCES:  |              | LIABILITIES:   |              |
|---|--------------|--|--------------|
| Loans and Discounts.....  | \$142,852 22 | Capital Stock paid in, in cash.....                            | \$100,000 00 |
| Overdrafts unsecured.....   | 21,273 32    | Surplus Fund.....  | 12,000 00    |
| Due from National Banks.....  | \$19,926 65  | Undivided Profits.....   | 1,159 17     |
| Due from State Banks & B'nk'rs 2,603 29   | 22,529 94    | Deposits subject to check (on which interest is not paid)..... | 234,302 69   |
| Banking House and Lot.....  | 9,000 00     | Due National Banks.....  | 2,462 80     |
| Mortgages.....  | 147,603 23   | Bills Payable.....   | 30,000 00    |
| Other Stocks and Bonds.....   | 19,500 00    |  |              |
| Specie.....   | \$5,186 74   |  |              |
| Exchange for Clearings.....   | 13,285 74    |  |              |
| Current Expenses.....   | 3,880 31     |  |              |
| Last Quarter.....   | \$1,262 74   |  |              |
| Give description, location, value and how long owned, all real estate except banking house and lot, if any owned longer than five years Noneso owned. |              |  |              |
|   | \$379,924 76 |  | \$379,924 76 |

## SUPPLEMENTARY.

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Highest amount of indebtedness of any stockholder, person, company or firm (including in the liabilities of the company or firm the liability of the individual members thereof) directly or indirectly, if such indebtedness exceeds 20 per cent. of capital stock actually paid in, and actual amount of surplus in the bank..... | None       |
| Highest amount of indebtedness of any director or officer, if amount of such indebtedness exceeds 10 per cent. of paid up capital stock of bank.....  | None       |
| Does amount of indebtedness of any person, company or firm, including in the liability of the company or firm, the liability of the individual members thereof, exceed 30 per cent. of paid up capital and actual surplus?.....   | No         |
| If so, state amount of such indebtedness.....   | \$3,000.00 |
| Amount of last dividend.....  | \$3,000.00 |
| Were all expenses, losses, interest and taxes deducted therefrom before declaring dividend, and was not less than ten per cent. of net profits of the bank for the period covered by the dividend carried to the surplus fund before said dividend was declared? (See Section 596, Kentucky Statutes.).....                         | Yes        |

STATE OF KENTUCKY, COUNTY OF BOURBON, ss.  
P. I. McCarthy, Cashier of the Deposit Bank of Paris, a bank located and doing business at No. 400 and 401 Main St., Paris, Ky., in said county, being duly sworn, says that the foregoing report is in all respects a true statement of the condition of the said Bank, at the close of business on the 31st day of Dec., 1904, to the best of his knowledge and belief; and further says that the business of said Bank has been transacted at the location named, and not elsewhere; and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Secretary of State designating the 31st day of Dec., 1904, as the day on which such report shall be made.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by P. I. McCarthy the 31st day of Dec., 1904.  
C. K. Thomas, Notary Public.  
My commission expires Feb. 4, 1906.

J. M. HALL, R. J. NELLY, E. M. DICKSON, Directors.

## QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE BOURBON BANK

At the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1904.

| RESOURCES:                              |              | LIABILITIES:   |              |
|---|--------------|--|--------------|
| Loans and Discounts.....                | \$167,745 17 | Capital Stock paid in, in cash.....                            | \$100,000 00 |
| Overdrafts secured and unsecured.....   | 9,162 11     | Surplus Fund.....  | 30,000 00    |
| Due from National Banks.....            | \$13,144 92  | Undivided Profits.....   | 5,765 74     |
| Due from State Banks & B'nk'rs 2,460 58 | 15,805 50    | Deposits subject to check (on which interest is not paid)..... | \$144,951 92 |
| Banking House and Lot.....              | 14,000 00    | Bills rediscounted.....  | 50,000 00    |
| Mortgages.....                          | 107,590 87   |  |              |
| Specie.....                             | \$1,543 89   |  |              |
| Exchange for Clearings.....             | 8,433 89     |  |              |
| Current Expenses.....                   | 7,300 12     |  |              |
| Last Quarter.....                       | \$1,200 70   |  |              |
|   | \$330,717 66 |  | \$330,717 66 |

## SUPPLEMENTARY.

|   |         |
|---|---------|
| Highest amount of indebtedness of any stockholder, person, company or firm (including in the liability of the company or firm the liability of the individual members thereof) directly or indirectly, if such indebtedness exceeds 20 per cent. of capital stock actually paid in, and actual amount of surplus in the bank..... | 00      |
| Highest amount of indebtedness of any director or officer, if amount of such indebtedness exceeds 10 per cent. of paid up capital stock of bank.....  | 00      |
| Does the amount of indebtedness of any person, company or firm, including in the liability of the company or firm, the liability of the individual members thereof, exceed 30 per cent. of paid up capital and actual surplus?.....   | No      |
| If so, state amount of such indebtedness.....   | \$4,000 |
| Amount of last dividend.....  | \$4,000 |
| Were all expenses, losses, interest and taxes deducted therefrom before declaring dividend, and was not less than ten per cent. of net profits of the bank for the period covered by the dividend, carried to the surplus fund before said dividend was declared?.....  | Yes     |

STATE OF KENTUCKY, COUNTY OF BOURBON, ss.  
B. Woodford, Cashier of Bourbon Bank, a bank located and doing business at cor. Main and 5th streets in the city of Paris, in said county, being duly sworn, says the foregoing report is in all respects a true statement of the condition of the said Bank at the close of business on the 31st day of Dec., 1904, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and further says that the business of said Bank has been transacted at the location named and not elsewhere, and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Secretary of State, designating the 31st day of Dec., 1904, as the day on which said report shall be made.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by B. Woodford, the 31st day of December, 1904.  
E. J. MYALL, Notary Public.

J. W. DAVIS, J. T. HINTON, L. FRANK, Directors.

## PARIS GRAND.

Wednesday, January 4th.

## THE SEASON'S BRILLIANT DRAMATIC HIT

The Romantic Love Story.  
The Thrilling Realistic Adventures.  
The Newly Constructed Production.

## James Boys in Missouri.

Four Grandly Mounted Acts.  
The Most Elaborate Scenic Display of the Year.  
The Famous "Blue Cut" Train Robbery—a Remarkable, Surprising Train Effect.  
A Company of Exceptional Players.  
NOTE.—This is not the old play founded on the exploits of the James Boys, but an entirely new dramatization and original in theme, character and plot.  
Prices—25, 35 and 50 Cents.

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Just in—our nobby toes in that Walk-Over Shoe.  
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WHITE Rock lime by the barrel, cart or wagon load. It is pure white and there is no waste to it.  
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Now is the opportunity for every lady in Paris and Bourbon county to get a bargain. My stock is large up-to-date and first-class, but in order to reduce it I am selling all of my Millinery Goods at cost. Many bargains are to be found in trimmed and ready-to-wear hats. When I say at cost I mean at the actual cost. Call and be convinced.  
30-41 MRS. CORNE WATSON BAIRD.

## QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE Agricultural Bank of Paris, Ky.,

At close of business the 31st day of December, 1904.

| RESOURCES:                               |              | LIABILITIES:   |              |
|--|--------------|--|--------------|
| Loans and Discounts.....                 | \$207,351 42 | Capital Stock paid in, in cash.....                          | \$100,000 00 |
| Overdrafts unsecured.....                | 14,354 00    | Surplus Fund.....  | 71,524 22    |
| Due from National Banks.....             | \$20,853 35  | Undivided Profits.....                                       | 2,975 35     |
| Due from State Banks & B'nk'rs 12,092 11 | 32,945 46    | Due depositors as follows, viz:                              |              |
| Banking House, Lot and Fixtures.....     | 15,000 00    | Deposits subject to check on which interest is not paid..... | \$204,233 84 |
| Mortgages.....                           | 154,360 26   | Due National Banks.....                                      | 15,946 23    |
| Specie.....                              | \$ 2,102 34  | Due State Banks and Bankers.....                             | 3,145 37     |
| Exchange for Clearing.....               | 310 00       | Bills re-discounted.....                                     | 32,500 00    |
|  |              | Reserved for Taxes.....                                      | 6,098 44     |
|  | \$436,423 45 |  | \$436,423 45 |

## SUPPLEMENTARY.

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|--|---------------------------------------|
| Highest amount of indebtedness of any stockholder, person, company or firm (including in the liability of the company or firm the liability of the individual members thereof) directly or indirectly, if such indebtedness exceeds 20 per cent. of capital stock actually paid in, and actual amount of surplus of the bank?..... | No such.                              |
| How is indebtedness stated in above item 1 secured?.....   | (See Section 583, Kentucky Statutes.) |
| Highest amount of indebtedness of any director or officer, if amount of such indebtedness exceeds 10 per cent. of paid up capital stock of bank?.....  | No such.                              |
| How is same secured?.....  | (See Section 583, Kentucky Statutes.) |
| Does amount of indebtedness of any person, company, or firm, including in the liability of the company or firm, the liability of the individual members thereof, exceed 30 per cent. of paid up capital and actual surplus?.....   | No such.                              |
| If so, state amount of such indebtedness?.....   | \$5,000 00                            |
| Amount of last dividend?.....  | \$5,000 00                            |
| Were all expenses, losses, interest and taxes deducted therefrom before declaring dividends, and was not less than 10 per cent. of net profits of the bank for the period covered by the dividend, carried to the surplus fund before said dividend was declared?.....   | (See Section 596, Kentucky Statutes.) |

STATE OF KENTUCKY, COUNTY OF BOURBON, ss.  
John J. McClintock, Cashier of the Agricultural Bank of Paris, Ky., a bank located and doing business at No. 331 Main Street, in the City of Paris, Ky., in said county, being duly sworn, says the foregoing report is in all respects a true statement of the condition of said bank at the close of business on the 31st day of Dec., 1904, to the best of his knowledge and belief; and further says that the business of said bank has been transacted at the location named and not elsewhere; and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Secretary of State, designating the 31st day of Dec., 1904, as the day on which such report shall be made.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by John J. McClintock, Cashier, this 31st day of Dec., 1904.  
JAMES MCCLURE, Notary Public.  
My Commission expires Jan. 11, 1908.

JOHN J. MCCLINTOCK, Cashier.  
N. KRIENER, Director.  
J. W. DAVIS, Director.  
J. D. MCCLINTOCK, Director.

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We are receiving daily a handsome line of Walk-Over Shoes for Fall and Winter. The latest styles in all kinds of shoes for ladies and gents. See our patent leather dress shoe for gentlemen.

## FREEMAN &amp; FREEMAN.

## Worst Of All Experiences.

Can anything be worse than to feel that every minute will be your last? Such was the experience of Mrs. S. H. Newson, Decatur, Ala. "For three years" she writes, "I endured insufferable pain from indigestion, stomach and bowel trouble. Death seemed inevitable when doctors and all remedies failed. At length I was induced to try Electric Bitters and the result was miraculous. I improved at once and now I'm completely recovered. For Liver, Kidney, Stomach and Bowel troubles Electric Bitters is the only medicine. Only 50c. It guaranteed by Oberdorfer, the druggist.

## Startling Evidence.

Fresh testimony in great quantity is constantly coming in, declaring Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds to be unequalled. A recent expression from J. T. McFarland, Bentonsville, Va., serves as example. He writes: "I had bronchitis for three years and doctored all the time without being benefited. Then I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, a few bottles wholly cured me." Equally effective in curing all Lung and Throat troubles, Consumption, Pneumonia and Grip. Guaranteed by Oberdorfer, the druggist. Trial bottles free, regular sizes 50c and \$1.00. 1jan

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## Driven to Desperation.

Living at an out of the way place, remote from civilization, a family is often driven to desperation in case of accident, resulting in burns, cuts, wounds, ulcers, etc. Lay in a supply of Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's the best on earth. 25c. at Oberdorfer's drug store. 1jan

## CHRISTMAS GOODIES.

Home-Made Candies,  
Box Candies of all kinds,  
Nuts, Fruits, Etc.,  
All fresh stock for the Holiday Trade.

We have the best Cakes, Plum Pudding, &c., to be had in the world.

BRUCE HOLLADAY'S.

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It would do your eyes good to look at my show cases. Never was such a display in this town before.

I want every person in the county to come and have a look. I know you will buy.

Yours truly,  
C. B. MITCHELL.

DR. L. H. LANDMAN,  
Hotel Windsor,  
Tuesday, Jan. 10, 1905.

## REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

Having decided to invest in land I now offer for sale privately all of my town property consisting of my home place in Thornton Division, and house and lot in East Paris adjoining the property of Mrs. Porter Jett and Mr. Wm. Mitchell, also one building lot on Houston avenue adjoining the property of D. T. Wilson. For further information apply to MRS. GERTRUDE THOMPSON, or I. D. THOMPSON.

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Five pure bred Jersey red sows and pigs, 20 boars and gilts, apply to or address MURPHY STOCK YARDS, Paris, Ky.

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